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ARMSTRONG'S LINOLEUM.
LEINWEBER'S.

Fritz De Grodt was a business caller at this office Saturday.

George Zybur was over from D'Hanis Tuesday on business.

All kinds of fountain drinks at ROTH'S CONFECTIONERY.

Flowers for all occasions. Order from ROTH'S CONFECTIONERY.

Pictures framed and mirrors re-gilded. —SPEECE WOODCRAFT SHOP.

For Hemstitching see Mrs. R. W. Speece, at residence opposite north-west corner of courthouse.

Mrs. M. L. Tansey of Smithville spent last week-end here with her daughter, Mrs. J. G. Barry.

Anthony Jungman, University of Texas student, was the week-end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Jungman.

Mrs. Robert Kollman and little daughter, Patsy Lou, Mrs. L. E. Kollman Sr. and Bobby Kollman were in San Antonio Saturday.

FARMERS! Seed Disinfectants for corn, vegetables, flowers, cotton, and other seeds to control disease sold at WINDROW DRUG STORE.

Mr. Felix Hollmig spent Friday in Fredericksburg and was accompanied home by his little son, Tommy, who had spent the week there with relatives.

E. D. Becker of San Antonio is a late addition to the growing list of readers of both of the Fletcher Davis Publications, The Anvil Herald and Farming.

Mrs. C. R. Gaines went to San Antonio last week and is staying with her daughter, Mrs. Una English, while under treatment by an eye specialist at the Nix Hospital.

Mrs. Horace King and Mrs. Bill Robertson of San Antonio visited their mother, Mrs. Ella Wools, and attended the recital given by Mrs. C. D. Sadler's music class last Friday night.

IS YOUR INSURANCE MAN ONE WHO LIVES AMONG YOU, OR ONE JUST PASSING THRU?

For Every Form of Insurance See O. H. MILLER, HONDO, Texas, Since 1907.

Mr. and Mrs. August Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Weynand passed through Hondo Tuesday, enroute from San Antonio to D'Hanis on a visit to relatives. While in Hondo, Mr. Brown paid the printshop folks an appreciated call.

Wm. Wurzbach, one of Rio Medina's successful farmers, was a business visitor to the county seat capital Saturday, and while here paid the printers a pleasant call. Mr. Wurzbach reports his section very much in need of rain.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reus and sons, John and R. W., and Chas. Halty, all of the lower Medina section between Castrovilla and LaCoste, were business visitors to Hondo Monday. While here the gentlemen favored our office with a business call.

Friends of Mrs. L. A. Mechler will be glad to learn that she was able to return to her home here Wednesday. She underwent an operation for a sinus infection Saturday at the Santa Rosa Hospital in San Antonio. Her daughter, Miss Irene Mechler, was with her and accompanied her home.

B. G. Wiemers, Past Master of Hondo City Lodge, came down from Bandera Monday night to fraternize with brethren in the old familiar lodge-room. He was accompanied by Ashley M. Rugh, Worshipful Master of Bandera Lodge, E. A. Caffall, also of Bandera, and Howard Short from the Short ranch.

Relatives here have received cards announcing the arrival on March 11, 1939, of Judith June, the 7-pound daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Hardt, at their home in Warren, Arizona. Mr. and Mrs. Hardt are former Medina Countians and have many relatives and friends here who congratulate them on their new daughter.

Those who attended the funeral of the late Fritz Wiess at Industry, Texas, Tuesday were the following, all cousins of the deceased: Mr. George Bohmfalk Sr., Mr. and Mrs. John Britsch, Mrs. Willie Fasel, Mrs. Alfred Brucks, Messrs. John Schweers, Louis and Hugo Schweers, Mr. Wiess was the husband of the former Lizzie Bohmfalk, daughter of the late Rev. F. Bohmfalk.

We are pleased to announce receipt of an invitation from the Anglers Club of San Antonio to attend the dedication of the Medina Lake Fish Hatchery at 3:00 P. M. Sunday, March 19th. An elaborate program has been arranged with distinguished speakers, and the presence of as many residents of Medina, Bandera and Bexar Counties as possible is desired by the promoters.

LOCATION OF HIGHWAY TO BE DEFINITELY MADE.

A committee from the Chamber of Commerce, which waited on the District Engineer in San Antonio last week, reported at the regular meeting of the Chamber of Commerce Tuesday night. Briefly, the report is to the effect that a re-checking of all former surveys will be made by Department engineers within the next thirty days with a view to eliminating certain drainage difficulties and settling definitely on the location for the Highway and the exact point of intersection of 173 with Highway 90. It was the sense of the meeting that this location be secured at the earliest possible moment, as any further action must necessarily wait on such location.

Mr. Albert C. Moore of the Albert C. Moore & Co., Consulting Engineers, of San Antonio, addressed the body on the matter of a sewer system for Hondo. He made the subject very clear both from a construction and from a financing standpoint. He pointed out that many towns are securing sewers, water systems, etc., with the assistance of the WPA at a cost to the town of from fifty per cent to as low as ten per cent of the actual cost of the improvements.

The Chamber took his suggestions under advisement, with the consensus of opinion seeming to be that Hondo is not ready for a sewer project.

The chamber adjourned to convene again in regular meeting on the second Tuesday night in April.

MUENNINK-NIETENHOEFER

The marriage of Miss Irene Nietenhoefer, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nietenhoefer, and Marion Muennink, the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Muennink, took place Saturday evening, March 4th, in New Fountain Methodist Church. The pastor, Rev. Robert Paine, performed the impressive double-ring ceremony. Miss Nellie Muennink played the traditional bridal music for the professional and the recessional and also played a soft accompaniment during the ceremony. The altar, with its decorations of fern and pot plants, was the background for the rites. The bride and bridegroom were unattended.

The pretty bride wore a becoming blue wool suit, with black hat and black accessories. Pink rosebuds, blue delphinium and cerise stock formed the shoulder corsage worn by the bride.

Following the ceremony an informal reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. In the dining room the table was centered with a large white wedding cake, adorned with pink sugar flowers and topped with a miniature bride couple. The bride cut the first slice of the cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Muennink left later for a short wedding trip. Since their return they are making their home in New Fountain, where Mr. Muennink is engaged in farming.

This paper joins the many friends of the young wedded pair in extending congratulations and best wishes.

R. D. WINDROW MAKES HONORARY FRATERNITY.

By making A's on at least half of a minimum of thirteen hours' work, fifty-eight freshmen at the University of Texas qualified for election to Phi Eta Sigma, honorary freshman fraternity for men. Robert David Windrow, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Windrow of Hondo, is among the freshmen with the required scholarship. He entered the University last September, following his graduation from Hondo High School with highest honors.

Announcement of the new members to Phi Eta Sigma was made on Tuesday of last week in The Daily Texan, University publication. They were initiated at 6 o'clock Thursday, March 9, in Texas Union 305, 307 and 309. Immediately following at 7 o'clock in the Texas Union Junior Ballroom the new members were honored at the annual spring initiation banquet. All former members were invited and Dr. H. T. Parlin, dean of the College of Arts and Sciences, was the main speaker.

METHODIST NOTES.

Morning Worship at 10:00.
Church School at 11:00.
Evening Service at 7:30.

At the evening service Rev. J. J. Mason, the Presiding Elder, will preach. After this service the second quarterly conference of the year will convene.

REV. W. S. HIGHSMITH, Pastor.

HONDO OWLS TO PLAY AUSTIN.

Tickets went on sale the middle of this week for the baseball game between the Hondo Owls and Austin High, Saturday, March 18, at 2:30 o'clock on College Square. The Owls have been playing practice games with the town team for the past several weeks, but Saturday's contest is considered their first real game.

DO YOU WANT A HOME IN HONDO?

We have for sale a large house in good condition located on five lots on gravelled streets, for \$3000; or will trade for tillable land of equal value. See either member of the Hondo Land Co.—Fletcher Davis or George Kimmey.

Crystal City Business Men Dress Up in Cowboy Regalia For Coming Spinach Festival and Rodeo, March 24 to 26



In the picture, standing, reading from left to right: C. D. Sloan, General Chairman of Spinach Festival; Dr. C. A. Poindexter, Physician and owner of Crystal City Hospital; H. R. McNeil, Vocational Agriculture Teacher; C. E. Marcum, County Agent; J. R. Barker, prominent Spinach Farmer; B. H. Holsomback, Mayor of Crystal City; I. C. Cribbs, Oil & Water well driller; N. M. Roberts, Merchant.

Seated from left to right: L. L. Williams, City Manager; H. A. Mercer, Publicity Chairman of Festival; S. H. Fly, Supt. of Public Schools, Don V. Moore, County Clerk.

Hondo Students Receive Recognition In Fort Worth Paper

P. T. A. Holds Regular Meeting

PLANS TO BUY PIANO DISCUSSED

From The Owl.

With an attractive presentation of the story of Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs, the P. T. A. opened its regular meeting last Monday afternoon, March 13, in the High School auditorium. The following are the characters of this play given under the direction of Miss Mary West, fourth grade teacher.

Reader—Maybeth Barry
Snow White—Betty Ann Garrison
Doc—Archie Brucks
Sleepy—Arthur Brucks
Grumpy—Glenn McWilliams
Sneezy—Gerald Britsch
Happy—Henry Holloway
Dopey—Bobby Nester
Bashful—Selby Wools
Hunter—Jimmy Vaughan
Robbitts—Elna Saathoff, June Angermiller, Sterl Balzen

Squirrels—Arthur L. Embrey, Margaret Laughinghouse

Fawn—June Ketchessid

Prince—Charley Martin

Witch—Jacqueline Hollmig

Birds—Catherine Wools, Jonell Britsch, Norma Zane Kollman

Ringtails—Leslie Williams, Horace Britsch, John Ward

Queen—Mary Joyce Saathoff

Accompanist—Ruth McWilliams

At the close of this part of the program Mrs. I. V. Garrison spoke on the subject, "Playmates and Community Contacts", stating, in part, "Parents should know where their children are, and, in turn, the child has the right to know where his parent is. The social nature of children should be developed in constructive ways by the parents; the problem is to help him be the right kind of associate and to guide him in choosing the right kind of associates."

During the business session the report of the executive committee which recommended that an apartment grand piano be bought by the P. T. A., with the aid of the school board, was adopted. At this time Mrs. W. S. Highsmith, president of the P. T. A., announced that a check to cover the first payment of this piano had been contributed by Mr. W. T. Crow. The P. T. A. wishes to extend to Mr. Crow its appreciation for his generosity in helping to foster this worthwhile project.

Prior to the election of officers (Continued on Last Page.)

HAVE ENTRIES IN FAT STOCK SHOW

From The Owl.

Albert, Arthur and Judy Lacy, students of Hondo High School and members of the Junior Class, left last Wednesday for Fort Worth to attend the annual Fat Stock Show which is being held there.

Albert and Arthur shipped 36 pure-bred Hereford cattle to Fort Worth from Hondo Wednesday night. Fifteen of these were put in the show while 21 were sold on the market last Friday afternoon. The cattle were seemingly not the only attraction because the following article was taken from the Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

"Fort Worth was a kid on the brink of a holiday Friday—There were a hundred unmistakable symptoms. There already had been a traffic jam on Exchange Avenue and hotelmen were talking to themselves.

"The town from boot-black to mayor wore a grin for the visitor, who is as important to the success of the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show as the Karakul Sheep, the steer wrestlers and Five Minutes of Midnight, but doesn't get any blue ribbons for it, or even a bag of oats.

"Though hotel registers were filled with reservations for the week-end there already were some arrivals Thursday, including a California ranchman, a Texas Ranger and a pair of 16-year-old twin cattlemen from Hondo."

Twins Are Confusing

The twins, Albert and Arthur Lacy, are as confusing as the two-headed cow. Identical, Arthur is president and Albert is secretary (or vice versa) of the Hondo Future Farmers, but the "future" part of it is sort of superfluous. They already operate a 1,488-acre ranch and farm, raising their own feed for their 100 head of purebred cattle. The family drove all Wednesday night to get there—Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Lacy, the boys and 14-year-old Judy, who has the reputation of being the best young horsewoman in the neighborhood—and you know the size of a ranch "neighborhood."

The boys have a good chance of winning honors and blue ribbons in the show with their cattle.

FOR SALE OR TRADE.

One 3-year-old muley, roan Durham bull. Apply to, P. E. HAASS.

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ELECTRIC SERVICE ASSURED.

The Medina Electric Cooperative is in receipt of the following telegram.

Washington, D. C., March 13, 1939.

H. H. Decker, Pres., Medina Elec. Coop., Hondo, Texas.

REA has allocated one-hundred and one thousand dollars (\$101,000) for Medina Electric Cooperative at Hondo, for 124-miles of line and to serve 319 members.

MILTON H. WEST, M. C. 3:25 P. M.

This is the result of persistent efforts on the parts of the officers of the Coop., County agent C. M. Merritt, Mr. Wm. Church, Congressman Milton H. West, and the Cooperative spirit of the rural population of Medina County.

The installation of this distribution system will bring to the homes of 319 Medina County people all the conveniences of a complete electric power and lighting service. Coal oil lamps for lighting can be dispensed with and lights be made to flood the entire premises by the turning of a switch. Electric motors can be made to take the place of windmills in pumping water, thus removing the uncertainties of the wind in times of drought. It can be made to pull feed-grinders, wood-saws and any other power driven appliance needed on the farm—from a foot-warmer in winter cold to an ice-factory in the refrigerator during the summer heat.

The co-operators are to be congratulated on securing this service. There was a largely attended meeting of the membership at the courthouse Tuesday night to lay plans for pushing construction of the system.

BRIDE-ELECT COMPLIMENTED.

A lovely courtesy to a bride-elect was the shower and tea given in honor of Miss Lillian Moehring Sunday afternoon, March 12, from one to five o'clock, in the home of Mrs. Charles Schlenz. Hostesses were Mesdames Walter Saathoff, August Leinweber, Clarence Haass, George Brucks and Milton Balzen, and Misses Aleen Grell, Virginia Moehring and Corine Nietenhoefer.

A yellow and white color scheme was featured in the decorations, calendulas and candytuft being used in the living room. The tea table was laid with a lace cloth and had a graceful center arrangement of yellow jasmine in a white pottery bowl, and lighted with white tapers in white pottery holders.

Mrs. Schlenz, the honoree Miss Moehring, and her mother, Mrs. Ed. Moehring, and her fiancée's mother, Mrs. O. A. Grell, formed the receiving line. Miss Nietenhoefer had charge of the bride's book, and Mrs. Walter Saathoff, Mrs. George Brucks and Mrs. Clarence Haass presided over the tea table.

Refreshments of pimiento cheese sandwiches, white coconut cake, mints and iced tea were served.

About one hundred guests called. The honoree wore a pretty afternoon frock of aqua blue crepe and her corsage was of vari-colored sweet peas. The hostesses were also attired in afternoon dresses and wore sweet pea corsages.

MURPHY H. D. CLUB.

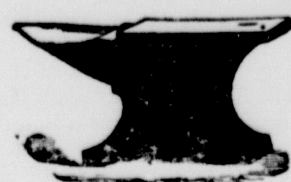
The Murphy Home Demonstration club met at the home of Mrs. Clinton Wiemers March 14th, with Miss Nell Foley present.

After the business meeting adjourned, delicious refreshments were served to all present.

Miss Foley gave a cutting demonstration and showed the members how to cut cuttings for best results.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Geo. R. Bohmfalk and "Legends of Native Shrubs and Trees" will be the topic of the program.

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SPARKS

Being News, Views and Reviews
by the
Managing Editor

PRINTED ERROR

By Clayton Rand

A subscriber to a weekly contributed a verse about his boy, one line of which ran, "My son, my pigmy counterpart." When it was printed, "My son, my pig, my counterpart," he neither cussed out the editor nor sued for libel.

An Iowa newspaper ran the following notice, "We were the first journal in the state to announce the . . . Des Moines fire . . . and the first to inform our readers that the report was absolutely without foundation."

We know a weak daily that carries two weather forecasts to satisfy everybody. And its stock market price quotations often go up 200 per cent in one day, to make investors temporarily happy. One weekly keeps sending its paper to delinquent subscribers, cutting out certain parts each week. It fetches in renewals.

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A GROSS INJUSTICE.

Because of the apparent gross injustice done to certain landowners and that they may have a hearing to explain their grievance, we print the following statement:

"The undersigned Texas land owners respectfully request you to publish this letter or its substance, as a plea to land owners all over Texas to awake to an evil of which we have been made victims.

"That is, the evil of vacancy hunters trying to take from us property which we had occupied and improved for years, and paid taxes on. They have filed vacancy claims and forced us to the expense and trouble of going to Austin to defend our lands against their vacancy suits—an unjust expense which we often could ill afford.

"Most of the suits have proved to be without foundation. Some were filed merely for shakedown after oil developments made the lands valuable. And practically all such suits have clouded the land owner's title so as to prevent or hamper him from leasing his lands.

"So long as the vacancy racketeers have the free rein which the present law gives them, they will be a menace to all Texans. Whenever mineral development increases the value of land, or perhaps without such development, they may pounce upon any man's farm, ranch or home and try to wrest it from him, or at least cloud his title as they have clouded the titles to hundreds of thousands of acres in Texas, and try to force a 'settlement'.

"Many of us have joined hands in the Texas Landowners Association to protect ourselves from the vacancy vultures. Our association is sponsoring a bill in the legislature which would require the vacancy applicant to pay a substantial filing fee and have an impartial survey made of the land; would require trial of the case in the county where the land lies, and would give the landowner certain preferential rights concerning vacancies which he does not now enjoy and which his long occupation of the land entitles him to.

"It may seem inconceivable that a measure so clearly just and fair should have any opposition, but the vacancy racketeers are cunning and they are using every trick in their bag to keep open this rich field of chiseling. They are trying to frustrate vacancy legislation under the sanctimonious guise of helping the public school fund, but that old mask is so worn and frayed that anyone can see through it with half a look. The school fund will be amply protected in this measure.

"But it is because of this misleading opposition that we are calling upon the land owners and substantial citizens of all Texas to assist this movement which may protect themselves some day, by urging their legislators to support the landowners bill. We ask the newspapers to help us editorially. For this cooperation we offer the reward of better government and riddance of vacancy land grabbers. Representative Paris Smith, author of the bill, will furnish any information desired.

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SIGN OF CHARACTER.

Life insurance sales declined sharply during the early part of last year. During the last six months, they started upward again, and the improvement became noticeable toward the end of the year. And, according to

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LA COSTE LEDGERTTES.

From The LaCoste Ledger.

ARCHIE JAGGE MADE MANAGER OF C. OF C.

The appointment of Archie Jagge as manager of the Castroville Chamber of Commerce was announced by President G. R. Hans at a regular meeting of the chamber Tuesday night of this week. Ralph Tschirhart made a report on the road sign and was granted further time in which to arrange definitely about design and cost.

It was agreed to have a brief story written for the margin of chamber of commerce letter paper, setting forth the opportunities of Castroville and Medina Valley. Many of the business men had agreed to use the paper in regular correspondence.

J. P. Schott reported that funds had been allotted for the bridge across the river at Castroville and stated that by a united effort all requirements made by the Highway Department could be met. He explained that the highway will mean much to the growth and prosperity of the valley.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mangold of Castroville visited relatives here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Montague and children of San Antonio visited with relatives here Sunday.

Cornelia Keller is spending the week in San Antonio with Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Reicherzer and babies.

Mrs. Ulrich B. Kempf and children from Castroville visited relatives here last Friday.

Otto W. Schneider from Delta was a short visitor here Tuesday.

Elmer Mechler from the Sauz was a visitor here Monday.

Eddie Grossenbacher from the Sauz was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Messrs. Wm. Wengenroth and sons, Lloyd and Claude, of Rio Medina, and Elmer, Erwin and Raymond Biediger from Dunlay were business visitors here Tuesday.

Harry Schweers of Hondo was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Zuercher here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Rihn from Spindletop visited relatives here Wednesday.

Philip Scherrer and son, Martin, from the Sauz, visited in LaCoste Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul N. Biediger and children of San Antonio visited relatives here last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Mangold of Cliff were visitors here Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Wm. Tschirhart of the Sauz was a LaCoste visitor last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Hacker and children and Arthur H. Biediger from San Antonio spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Christilles and children and Misses Marie Lessing and Hazel Jungman were San Antonio visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Tondre and children of LaPryor were guests of relatives here and at San Antonio Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Mechler and children of San Antonio were guests in the Otto Jungman home the past Thursday.

Mrs. Emil S. Christilles and son, William Edward, from San Antonio visited with Mrs. W. F. Biediger here last Saturday.

Mrs. Frank A. Tschirhart and daughter, Darline, and father, J. H. Letcher, of Castroville were Hondo visitors last Thursday.

Henry Zimmermann and son, Clayton, of Houston, and Miss Tina Lea Lieber of Castroville visited Mrs. Mary A. Keller here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Zuercher of San Antonio were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Koehler and family and Mrs. Emma Marbach at Maedona Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Eiserloh, Mrs. Lena Ney, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moody from San Antonio were the guests of Mrs. Mary A. Keller here Sunday.

Misses Merlene Feazell, Doris and Ethel Koehler, Florence Obets, Marie Christilles, Louise and Annie Lessing, were San Antonio visitors Sunday, while there they made a tour of the old Missions.

Mrs. Joseph Biediger, Mrs. Henry Salzman and Henry Biediger and son, Edward, attended the funeral of Joe Lieber at Uvalde Sunday evening.

Messdames S. A. Jungman, P. Jungman and Alice Bettrier from Hondo visited Mrs. A. E. Jungman here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sauter and Mr. and Mrs. George Riedge from South San Antonio were visiting Alex Jungman and family here Sunday.

Frank A. Tschirhart of Castroville, who is a patient at the Legion Hospital near Kerrville, underwent an operation this week. Mr. Tschirhart will be in the hospital for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Atkins and daughter, Miss Hazel, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Tunnell and little grandson, Jack Smith, were guests at the G. A. Mechler home Tuesday evening, the occasion being the observance of Mr. Mechler's birthday. A most delightful dinner was served in her husband's honor by Mrs. Mechler.

GETTING READY FOR COUNTY MEET.

Arrangements are being completed for the annual county meet to be held this month, beginning on Friday, March 17, when junior tennis contests will be held at Hondo. The senior tennis will be held on the Hondo courts on Saturday, March 18th.

The main programs of the county meet will be held in LaCoste, beginning with the playground ball contest on Saturday, March 18th, followed by the literary events on Friday, March 24th and the volleyball tournament on Saturday, March 25th.

Due to the fact that there is not enough interest shown, the usual track meet will not be held this year.

DEVINE NEWSLETS.

From The Devine News.

C. OF C. COMMITTEE VISITS TEXAS HIGHWAY OFFICE REGARDING 173.

J. Travis Lilly and H. W. Eschenburg, of the C. of C. committee on Highways, met with a delegation from Hondo, before Chairman Bobbitt of the highway commission in San Antonio, Monday, urging more construction on No. 173 between Devine and Hondo. The Devine contingent insisted that if about five miles addition was made, reaching from the present terminus of the work to the Biry-Dunlay road, we would have a pretty good road to Hondo City via the new bridge soon to be built on the Hondo river on No. 90. They reported a favorable hearing and the assurance that when funds are available work will be pushed again on No. 173.

YANCEY.

Mumps, chickenpox and whooping cough are prevalent in our community besides flu, bad colds and other maladies.

We are glad to report that Rev. Brown and little daughter, Ann, are both well after a siege of the flu.

Mrs. J. W. McCaughan spent several days in the Medina hospital, having undergone a tonsil operation; she was able to come home Saturday.

Mr. Herman Faseler, who had been confined to his room for several weeks, is able to get up and enjoy the balmy sunshine.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Muennink and little son, Coy, and Mrs. Brown and little daughter spent the week-end with homefolks at Leesville.

Prof. Allen and his F. F. A. boys spent Saturday at Hondo at the track meet. Several of the boys placed in first, second, third and fourth place.

Mrs. F. E. Lewis and daughters, Miss Marjorie and Mrs. J. C. Anthony, and little son, Jerry, of Uvalde spent last Saturday in San Antonio.

Last Thursday evening a message from Bandera announced the death of Mr. W. J. Wheeler's sister, Mr. Emil Bohmfalk accompanied them to Bandera Friday where the funeral was held.

Mrs. Mary Grunewald spent Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Wheeler.

Rev. Fuller of Bandera visited the sick last week one day, stopping at the Medina hospital to call on Mrs. H. G. Saathoff, then coming here to call on Mr. Herman Faseler. Rev. Fuller also called on our faculty at the school and stopped his car a few minutes to say hello to us.

A negro minstrel was given at the school house Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Gilson and little daughter of Longview are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Gilson.

Mrs. Mary Grunewald called on friends Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Bohmfalk and daughter, Miss Lucille, spent the week-end with their children at Freer.

Mr. Ray Ward and sister, Mrs. Marvin Muennink and baby daughter of Freer were here last week-end.

Mrs. N. F. Berry and son, Coy, and wife and baby of Pearsall visited Marvin Berry and family at Cuero. On their return home they visited folks at Smiley and Mrs. Weekley Sr. came home with them.

Mrs. Mary Grunewald and children went to New Fountain to attend the birthday celebration of Mrs. Gertie Broars who completed her 88th birthday.

Mr. J. D. Burgin and Mr. Goode of Luling were here.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Faseler visited Mr. and Mrs. David Neal Sunday.

Mrs. Foreman of San Antonio visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Faseler, Sunday.

The Wilson and Nixon families received news Sunday that Dr. James Nixon Sr., passed away Sunday. Interment was made Monday.

Miss Mary Jane McClagherty spent the week-end with homefolks. She is a student at San Marcos Teachers College.

Miss Mildred Wiemers of Upper Hondo spent the week-end at home.

Mr. Theodore Wiemers and family

Ribbons will be awarded in the various events held in LaCoste.

CASTROVILLE

Ethel Mae Schuchle of Hondo spent the past week with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Hilmer Mangold and children here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Applewhite, Misses Anna Marjorie Adcott and Zonie Taylor of San Antonio, Misses Rosina and Dollie Taylor of Hondo, and Miss Theresa Conrad of Devine and Messrs. Frances and Tommy Hoog, Jessie Applewhite, Sha Williamson and Edgar Hans enjoyed a day of picnicking at Long Horn Cavern and Buchanan Dam Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Oerter of San Antonio were short visitors here Saturday. They also visited Hubert Zinsmeister of Devine at the Medina Hospital at Hondo.

CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Schott celebrated the 50th anniversary of their wedding at their home Sunday, March 5, when barbecue, salad, pickles and other refreshments were served all day. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Emil Schott, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Schott, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Poerner and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Mullins and son, Mrs. Lydia Haby and children, Theo. Haby and son, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Worthington and son, Mr. and Mrs. Sterl Haby and daughters, Mrs. Theresa Rihn, Miss Willie Schott, Robert Hamilton, Leonard O'Neil, Paul Haby and Mavis Worthington.

At a late hour every one departed for their homes wishing Mr. and Mrs. Schott many more happy years together.

of Elstone were visitors here Sunday, and attended services at the Methodist church.

Mr. Charles Ward spent several days with homefolks, and returned to Freer Monday.

LYTLE.

Coach and Mrs. Howard Harris and little son, Billie, of Bangs spent the week-end here and attended the funeral of their aunt, Mrs. A. C. Thallman, at Hondo Sunday afternoon. Coach and Billie returned home Monday morning, Mrs. Harris remaining to be with her mother, Mrs. L. C. Gray, who has been quite ill the past two weeks, but is improving slowly.

A. C. Jackson and family and Miss Veda Thedford spent Sunday at D'Hanis with Mr. J. B. Ney.

Albert Jungerman of Pearsall was the guest of his sister, Miss Bertha Jungerman, Sunday afternoon.

The entire town was shocked and grieved to hear that Mrs. Annie Gray Thallman, had died at the hospital at Hondo, Friday night at 9 o'clock after a week's illness. Very few here had heard that she was ill. The funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. Highsmith of the Methodist church of Hondo conducted the service assisted by Rev. Wilson of Lytle, Rev. McNeil of San Marcos, the pastor of Somerset Methodist church and pastor of Hondo Baptist church, Mrs. Thallman is survived by her husband A. C. Thallman, mother, Mrs. W. H. Gray, nine brothers and four sisters. She is the first of fourteen children to die. A large crowd of relatives and friends from Lytle attended the funeral.

BIRY

Miss Thelma Bilhartz of Hondo spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bilhartz.

The sad news reached here Friday morning of the sad death of Mrs. Mary Schmidt. The family has our sympathy.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bilhartz and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Boldt and sons, Clarence Jr. and John, of San Antonio spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Bilhartz.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Neal of San Antonio spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Watson.

Mrs. Moody Jackson of Moody, Texas, is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Bader.

Mrs. Bonnard Carl of Luling is spending a few days with Mr. D. H. Carl.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bader and Mrs. Moody Jackson and Margurite spent Sunday at Castroville with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bader.

BOY SCOUTS TO HOLD FIELD DAY.

There will be a Field Day held in LaCoste, March 21st, for the Medina Valley Boy Scouts. The public is invited to attend and see the type of activities that Scouts engage in, both for recreational and educational purposes.

The last Court of Honor placed Medina Valley Scouts alongside other good Districts in the area, and as far as advancement is concerned, it is the hope of local Scout Officials that Medina Boy Scouts will shortly be able to compete on an equal basis in other divisions, such as first aid, life saving and other useful activities.

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FARM SECURITY LOANS.

The Farm Security Administration is now making loans to some of the most able farmers in the county and is not limited, as it once was, to the farmer who has been on relief, it was made known today by Tom Johnson, FSA's County Supervisor.

"Let me say right here that Farm Security Administration loans are made only to those who are unable to obtain adequate financing from any other source," the supervisor said.

"The borrower who can get the financing which he needs from a bank or from any other private financial institution is not eligible for a FSA loan. But there are some types of loan which even fairly large farmers and ranchmen can obtain only from FSA."

Farm Security has made many loans this year to farmers or ranchmen who were in need of more capital to buy livestock or to rent more acreage. In these cases, the operator was always hard-pressed, and many of them had to meet with their creditors and get their debts adjusted. Farm Security will not lend to a man who is in such a hard situation that he has no prospect of paying off old debts as well as new. If the old debts are too heavy, FSA helps to work out an agreement with creditors by which the debts are scaled down.

"Many of these borrowers are fairly large operators, and the loans some times run to several thousand dollars," the supervisor said.

He also pointed out another type of farmer served by FSA, who can get all the money he wants at the bank for his individual operations. But he may occasionally need to use big-scale equipment for a few days, or a pure-bred sire, and yet have too little need of it to own one himself. He is eligible for one of the cooperative enterprises which FSA is financing.

Only ten percent of farmers in this state have taken advantage of these opportunities offered by FSA to date, said the supervisor. Those who cannot get adequate financing from any other source were invited by him to call at the Farm Security Administration office.

SAN ANTONIO LIVESTOCK MARKET.

Monday, March 13, 1939
(Federal-State Market News Serv.)
HOGS—Estimated salable receipts 700. Market fairly active and steady to 15c higher than late last week. Top \$7.50 to all interests for most good to choice 175 to 250-lb. butchers. Good to choice 160 to 175-lb. \$7.25 to \$7.50, 140 to 160-lbs. \$7.00 to \$7.25, and 250 to 300-lbs. \$7.00 to \$7.50. Packing sows \$6.50 down. Feeder pigs around \$6.00 to \$6.50.

CATTLE—Salable receipts 800. CALVES—1,400. Receipts continued light and trading was spotted. Cows and bulls sold steady to strong, spots higher, and early sales of most classes slow but about steady with steers, yearlings and calves, steady to weak,

some sales 15 to 25c lower.

Medium 979-lb. steers \$7.50, 1037-lbs. at \$7.75, and a lot of good fed steers scaling 1,218-lbs. sold at \$9.15.

Medium to good short-fed light weight yearlings \$7.50 to \$8.50, few lots of good 482 and 605-lb. fed yearlings to \$8.65. Plain kinds down around \$6.00. Low cutter and cutter cows mostly \$3.75 to \$4.50, butcher and beef cows mostly \$4.50 to \$5.75, good 873-lb. cows to \$6.50.

Bulls sold mostly at \$5.25 to \$6.00, load of 1,249-lbs. at \$6.00, lot of good 1,590-lb. bulls to \$6.50. Medium to good slaughter calves \$7.50 to \$8.25, odd head of weaners above.

Culls sold down around \$4.75 and \$5.00. Stocker calves bulked at \$8.00 to \$9.00, some plain heifers down around \$7.00, and a few head of choice 231-lb. steer calves to \$10.00.

Feeder steer yearlings scaling 400-lb. cashed at \$7.50, unevenly lower than late last week.

SHEEP—Salable receipts 100; GOATS—100. Market about steady. Wethers weak, Good 89-lb. fat shorn lambs \$6.75 down. Bulk of wethers \$3.25 to \$4.00. Shorn Angora goats \$2.50 to \$3.00.

First Lesson

A little fellow had just returned home from his first day at Sunday School, and when asked what he had learned, he replied:

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ABOUT PEOPLE YOU KNOW

From The Bandera New Era. AUTO ACCIDENT.

Mrs. Jack Haby, her son and daughter, of the Seco happened to an unfortunate accident last Friday while returning from San Antonio. A tire on their loaded trailer blew out and overturned the car, injuring Mrs. Haby. She was taken to a San Antonio hospital for treatment after first aid was given here and was able to go home yesterday.

ATTEND FUNERAL.

Among those from Bandera attending the funeral of Mrs. A. C. Thallman at Hondo last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Eckhart, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Eckhart, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Thallman, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Evans, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Thallman, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Anderwald, Mrs. Mark McBryde, Mrs. Fred Thallman, Mrs. John Bruce, Mrs. Arthur Hayes, Mrs. Hubert Bruce, Mrs. Allie Thallman and Mitchell Anderwald.

County Attorney and Mrs. Frank X. Vance and infant son, Albert, of Hondo were visitors in Frontier Times Museum Sunday.

Val Verde County Herald.

W. A. Herzing, who is employed by the railroad at LaCoste, spent the week-end visiting in Del Rio with Mrs. Herzing and daughters, Nita Jean and Alice Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Frerichs and children, Emagene and Edwin Leo, spent Sunday visiting in Del Rio as guests of Mrs. W. A. Herzing. The Frerichs reside on a ranch near Brackettville.

Mrs. E. Sauer and daughters, Miss Elsie Sauer and Mrs. Emma Brown, of Brackettville spent Friday evening visiting in Del Rio.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter G. Koehler of San Antonio spent Sunday visiting in Del Rio with Mr. Koehler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Koehler.

Mr. and Mrs. John Rosenow and Mrs. Rosenow's daughter, Miss Lorene Martin, were Del Rio visitors Saturday from the Cartia Valley Country.

Atascosa County Monitor.

Mrs. A. N. Steinle and daughter, Dorothy Marie, visited her mother, Mrs. Frances Wurzbach, in San Antonio Saturday.

The Kyle News.

R. C. Barton and family spent the week-end at Hondo visiting relatives.

The Pearsall Leader.

Miss Clara Bell Blackaller, a student of the Southwest Texas State Teachers College, San Marcos, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Margaret O. Blackaller.

Mrs. T. J. Gilliam and son, Tom Gilliam, Jr., visited in Cuero and Smiley Saturday.

Miss Margaret Blackaller, a teacher in the public school of Rossville, spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Margaret O. Blackaller. Miss Blackaller had as her guest Miss Dorothy Waitz of San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Rihn are the parents of a baby girl, born March 5th, weighing seven and one-half pounds.

The Medina Light.

Rev. and Mrs. I. V. Garrison and children of Hondo were week-end guests of his parents, R. D. Garrison and wife.

The Uvalde Leader-News.

Paul Reinhart of D'Hanis was over at the Sabinal stock show. I attended a number of Woodmen of the World conventions with him some 30 years ago. We went up to Mineral Wells to one of them and at that convention I was elected as sovereign delegate and went to Rochester, N. Y. Paul is a brother of the late Jacob Reinhart of Sabinal and for almost half a century has been in the hardware business at D'Hanis.

Joe Lieber, a real old timer, having passed his 93rd mile post, was laid to rest in the Uvalde cemetery last Sunday, by the side of his wife who died Feb. 22, 1902. I remember being at the funeral of his wife. She died at the home of Mrs. Kelso at the corner where the Presbyterian Church now stands. Joe Lieber before moving to Castroville was a resident of Uvalde County. He was the father of Mrs. Lewis of Uvalde and Fred Lieber of Uvalde. He was a hard working, honest man who faithfully did his part in the making of this great state. As the body of this old patriot was lowered in Mother Earth which during his long life has yielded him a return for his labors, an airplane zoomed in the sky above, while the last rites were being intended for the departed. Modern inventions have come apace during his long life, things undreamed of when he was young, yet with all the changes that have come to pass nothing has been found that could replace his faith in God, his fidelity to loved ones, his honesty or industry that he steadfastly adhered to through the joys and shadows of life.

KNIPPA

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Carle, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Nester, all of D'Hanis and Archie Brown of San Antonio were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schawe. On Monday of this week Mrs. Schawe had as her guests Mr. and Mrs. Henry Weynand and Mrs. George Zybura also of D'Hanis. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Oefinger of Hondo spent last week-end here with Mrs. Oefinger's mother, Mrs. Smith.

UTOPIA

A wave of sadness swept over this community when Miss Allie D. Harper passed away at the Nix Hospital

Sunday, Feb. 26, at 5:20 P. M., following a stroke of paralysis Thursday night at her home near Utopia. . . . The body was brought by ambulance from San Antonio and funeral services were held at the Methodist Church Tuesday, Feb. 28, at 11 A. M. The Rev. Frank Buchanan of San Antonio, former presiding elder of Uvalde, conducted the service, assisted by Rev. T. H. Crowder, her local pastor. She is survived by her twin sister, Miss Mollie Harper, and three other sisters, Mrs. J. W. Kokernot, San Antonio; Mrs. W. A. Kelley and Mrs. J. D. Kincaid, Utopia, and three brothers, G. W. Harper, Corpus Christi; Bob Harper and John J. Harper, Utopia. . . . Out of town friends and relatives who attended the services were Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Harper, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Brown, Corpus Christi; Mrs. Joe Davenport, Beeville; Mrs. J. W. Kokernot, Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Carter, Mrs. Will Allen, Miss Jodelle Kincaid, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Harper and Rev. and Mrs. Frank Buchanan, San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Fly, Mr. and Mrs. Harper Fly, Miss Lora King, and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Gilliam, Hondo; Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Smith, Mrs. Cecil Armin and Mrs. Cora Vogt, Sabinal.

Rev. W. S. Highsmith and family of Hondo were here Saturday visiting friends.

TRIO ITEMS

Visitors in the Richarz home the past week were Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reinhart and daughter, Lena, of D'Hanis, who spent Tuesday, and on Sunday afternoon Mrs. Pete Jungman and Miss Nora Karrer of Hondo. Miss Georgia May Richarz, who spent the past week at home, left Sunday afternoon for San Antonio.

The Lockhart Post-Register. HENRY H. HEYEN

Henry H. Heyen was born at Hondo, Texas, on February 21, 1878, to Mr. and Mrs. Heyo Heyen. He lived at Hondo nearly 35 years, teaching school there for a number of years. He and his family came to Lockhart twenty-six years ago, since which time they had made their home in town in the later years, and until the time of his illness he had been working with the Southern Grocery Company.

Mr. Henry H. Heyen was a great lover of nature. He had developed an orchard of quite some proportions. Often he would speak of this hobby of his and of how such orchards might be developed more and more in the South.

On February 6, while at his work, Mr. Heyen became ill. Up until this time he had enjoyed the best of health, without even a minor ailment to speak of. From the first of this ailment it was apparent that he was in a serious condition with a complication of ailments. He displayed great courage and cheerfulness throughout his struggle for restoration to health, always being hopeful for a turn for the better in a few days. However, even though he was given the best of care and every encouragement of medicine, he was called from this life on March 2, Thursday night, at 11:30 o'clock.

Allen Heyen, the oldest child and only son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heyen, preceded his father in death on March 23, 1930.

Surviving Henry Heyen are: his wife, and daughters, Mrs. Tommy Knight of Lockhart, Mrs. Ross Smith of Cayton, Alabama, and Mrs. Mollie Smith of Lockhart. Also among the survivors are the following brothers and sisters: Mr. Herman Heyen, California; Mr. Fritz Heyen, Mr. Louis Heyen, Mr. Emil Heyen, Mr. William Heyen, Mrs. Fritz Schweers, all of Hondo; and Mrs. Lizzie Wohlschlegel, Bisbee, Arizona.

Mr. Heyen was a member of the Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church of Lockhart for the past several years and was interested in all its activities as well as being faithful in attendance.

To the many friends of Mr. Heyen it was a shock to learn of his serious illness. He is remembered by those who knew him as a kind, considerate, quiet, unassuming man who could always see the humorous side of affairs. With the wife and children, unnumbered friends mourn the unexpected demise of Mr. Henry Heyen.

He had reached the age of sixty-one years and nine days.

"So long Thy pow'r hath blest me, sure it still will lead me on O'er moor and fen, o'er crag and torrent till the night is gone: And with the morn those angel faces smile, Which I have loved long since, and lost a while."

The foregoing beautiful tribute is from the pen of Rev. Heinrich F. Rest, Mr. Heyen's pastor.

In the funeral service from the home Saturday afternoon at three o'clock, Rev. Rest was assisted by Rev. C. E. Bludworth, pastor of the Methodist church, and Rev. W. H. Barsh, pastor of the Baptist church.

The pall bearers were A. A. Kreuz, Lee Lancaster, Jimmie Blair, F. R. Smith, Melvin H. Riddle, Henry Hartung, Theo. Giesecke, E. A. Rader.

The grave in Lockhart Cemetery was covered with flowers.

Henry Heyen was a prince of gentlemen. His large commanding figure drew attention everywhere he went. His gracious manner was the expression of a heart overflowing with kindness and generosity.

His death brings sadness to the entire community.

The Link

"What's that piece of string tied round your finger for, Bill?"

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COURTHOUSE NEWS

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

W. G. Brymer and wife to Louis Mangold, Executor of Estate of Hubert Zuercher, deceased, warranty deed to Lots Nos. 1 and 2, in Block No. 5, Range 8, of town of Castroville. Consideration \$10.00.

R. C. Howard, Ind. and as Administrator to J. H. Bain, warranty deed to a parcel of land in New City Block 16, Bright Addition, in town of Devine. Consideration \$1,400.00.

Josie Johnson, a widow, to Herman N. Fohn, warranty deed to 450.85 acres of land being all of Survey No. 787 1/2, J. O. Tool, containing 160 acres; all of Survey No. 787 1/4, S. K. Smith, containing 155 acres; and 135.85 acres; the western portion of original Survey No. 52, A. E. & M. Consideration \$3,381.37.

Medina Irrigated Farms, Inc., to G. R. Loyd, warranty deed with Vendor's Lien to 10 acres of land out of Frs. J. Marquis Original Survey No. 497. Consideration \$700.00.

Bexar-Medina-Atascosa Counties Water Improvement District No. 1 to Frank Fluegge, special warranty deed to 10 acres of land out of John Hardin Survey No. 35 1/2. Consideration \$86.58.

Frank Fluegge to S. R. Malone and G. M. Harrison, warranty deed to 10 acres of land out of San Antonio Trust Subdivision of lands. Ten dollars and other valuable consideration.

Ed. Finger and wife to John W. L. Zinsmeyer and wife, warranty deed with Vendor's Lien to north part of Lots Nos. 1, 2 and 3, and all of Lots Nos. 4, 5 and 6, in Block No. 6, in town of D'Hanis, on south side of Highway No. 90. Consideration \$5,000.00.

J. H. Hester to Mrs. Delphia Hester, warranty deed to undivided one-half interest in North 9.75 acres of land out of San Antonio Trust sub-division of the Medina Irrigated Lands. Ten dollars and other valuable consideration.

O. H. Miller and wife to Gus Benke and Wm. Benke, warranty deed to a part of Lot No. 6, in Block No. 55 in town of Hondo. Consideration \$400.

Frank A. Burrell and wife to W. W. Wernette, warranty deed to Lots Nos. 7 and 8, Block No. 6, and Range No. 4, in town of Castroville. Ten dollars and other valuable consideration.

Medina Irrigated Farms, Inc. to A. R. Airington, warranty deed with Vendor's Lien to 8.41 acres of land out of John Degant Original Survey No. 31. Consideration \$491.98.

Joe A. Bader to Frank H. Bader, warranty deed to 204 1/2 acres of land out of Northern part of Survey No. 68, Simon Menger, known as Sub-division No. 5. Five hundred dollars and other good and valuable consideration.

Mary Christilles et al to Congregation of Sister of Divine Providence, warranty deed with Vendor's Lien to Farm Lot No. 33, Survey No. 42, Jane E. Calder, on west bank of Medina River, containing about 40 acres of land. Consideration \$3200.00.

Charles E. Beauchamp and wife to Glenn A. Beauchamp, warranty deed to 160 acres of land out of Survey No. 43, Michael Naegelin, Jr. Ten dollars and other valuable consideration.

Heirs at Law of Rudolph and Angela Poerner, Dec'd., to Arthur J. Lutz, warranty deed with Vendor's Lien to 93.2 acres of land out of M. Anderson Survey No. 416. Consideration \$3,000.00.

Medina Irrigated Farms, Inc., to Tommie Marie Henderson, warranty deed with Vendor's Lien to 20 acres of land out of M. W. Dikes Original Survey No. 421 and J. Emencher Original Survey No. 422. Consideration \$1262.50.

Mamie H. Gilliam et al to B. W. Kraus and wife, warranty deed to eastern three-fourths of Lot No. 17, out of Dave Harvey Survey No. 20, F. P. Seekatz Subdivision. Consideration \$200.00.

Fred L. Kempf to Florence Kempf, warranty deed to 55.26 acres of land, exclusive of Irrigation Canal Right-of-way, being 50.25 acres out of Original Survey No. 4, D. Lieber, and 5 acres out of Original Survey No. 5, John Hein. Consideration \$10.00.

Celesta Koehler, widow of Max Koehler Sr., dec'd., to Lula Heath, et al, quit claim deed to 199 acres of land out of Eastern part of Survey No. 505, Claude Laurent; Survey No. 506, F. Pincheaux; Survey No. 507, J. Denemoulin. Ten dollars and other good and valuable considerations.

Eunice Renaud et al to Jos. W. Heath special warranty deed to 199 acres of land out of Eastern part of Survey No. 505, Claude Laurent; Survey No. 506, S. Pincheaux; and Survey No. 507, J. Denemoulin. Consideration \$796.00.

Mrs. Maude Weymeyer to Mrs. Maud Ulbrich, release and quit claim deed to interest in Estate of J. W. Ulbrich, dec'd. Consideration \$1580.

Alfred H. Schweers and wife to Frederick W. Bohmfalk and wife, warranty deed with Vendor's Lien to 205.75 acres of land, consisting of two tracts: 156 1/4 acres, being the whole of South half of Survey No. 215, Castro's Colony, and 49 1/2 acres out of Northeast part of Survey No. 214, George Studer. Consideration \$4732.25.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

March 8, to Francisco Luna and Agelita Reyes.

March 11, to H. E. Bryan and Gladys Enochs.

NEW AUTO REGISTRATIONS.

March 6, Jose Gomez, Hondo, Ford pick-up.

March 8, E. L. Gazaway, Utopia, Dodge pick-up.

March 2, D. C. Williams, Devine, Ford pick-up.

March 13, G. G. Gilson, Yancey, G. M. C. truck.

March 1, Edwin L. Boehle, Dunlay,

Pontiac.

March 2, E. L. Williams, Devine, Ford sedan.

March 10, A. A. Murrell, Castroville, Ford station wagon.

March 10, Henry Bauch, Devine, Ford coupe.

March 14, E. E. Wilson, Yancey, Dodge sedan.

RIO MEDINA NEWS.

Miss Winifred McDowell and Mr. Williams of San Antonio spent Tuesday at the home of Mrs. C. T. Wurzbach and daughters.

The following enjoyed a wiener roast at Huegele's place on the Medina River Sunday: Audrey and Russell Dietrick, Betty and Dave Emilenburg, Vinson and Allen Huegele, Edna Denbo, Dan Hoffmann from San Antonio, and Misses Thelma and Alta Huegele from Rio Medina.

Mrs. C. M. Wurzbach and Baby Colvern returned home last week after staying in San Antonio for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin R. Wurzbach were at Hondo last Wednesday.

Miss Hilda Wurzbach and Carl H. Steidle were in San Antonio Monday.

Robt. Boehme was in San Antonio on business Friday.

Misses Naomi and Ellyn Steidle and Miss Doris Rihn spent a few hours with Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Steidle and Mrs. C. T. Wurzbach and daughters last Saturday.

Mrs. C. J. Ahr was the guest of Mrs. Joe Haegelin and family Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Haby and Otto Haby visited Mrs. C. T. Wurzbach and daughters last Thursday.

Mrs. C. T. Wurzbach and Misses Hulda, Katy, and Clara Wurzbach were guests of Mrs. O. W. Huegele and daughters and Mrs. C. M. Huegele.

NOTICE TO FARMERS

The State Committee has designated April 15, 1939, as a closing date for signing 1939 Agricultural Conservation Worksheets.

It will NOT BE NECESSARY for those who have previously signed worksheets to sign again. Only those farms or parts of farms which have never been covered by a worksheet, must have them signed before April 15, in order to be eligible for 1939 Soil Conservation Payment.

R. D. BURDEN, Secretary,
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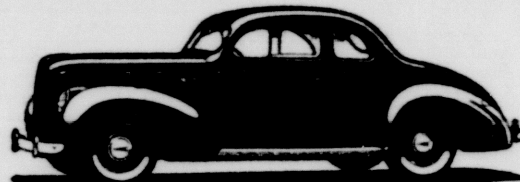
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Mrs. Leo Schweers of Del Rio
spent several days here with her
mother, Mrs. Joe Bader.

WINDROW DRUG NEWS

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MEDINA COUNTY MEN AND WOMEN ON EDUCATIONAL TOUR.

Forty-two men and women from
Medina County joined a group of
people at Austin Wednesday, March
15, on an educational tour sponsored
by the District Home Demonstration
Association. Several hundred men
and women from about nineteen
counties in District 10 were present.
Dunlay, Hondo, LaCoste, Quihi-New
Fountain and Rio Medina were represented
from Medina County.

Everyone met at Woolridge Park
at 10 A. M. From there they went to
the Capitol to visit the Senate which
was in session. At noon lunch was
served in the Union building on the
University campus. Hon. J. E. Mc-
Donald, Commissioner of Agriculture,
was introduced as the guest
speaker. Mr. Max Starcke, Supervisor
of the Buchanan Dam, addressed
the large assembly. Miss Mildred
Horton, Vice-Director and State
Home Demonstration Agent, Extension
Service, College Station, and
Miss Laura Oehlers, former 4-H Club
girl from Kerr County and now a
University of Texas student also
spoke.

In the afternoon the House of Rep-
resentatives was visited, and at three
o'clock everyone went to the Govern-
or's mansion for tea. Following reg-
istration in the guest book, the visi-
tors were greeted by Mrs. W. Lee
O'Daniel, wife of the Governor. Texas
Rangers escorted the guests over
the mansion and among the rooms
seen was the historical Sam Houston
room. Following the serving of tea,
the visitors left for their respective
homes.

The Medina County people included
in the tour were: Mesdames J. R.
Black, Al. Janszen, Oscar Batot, J. C.
Merriman, Louis Bohmfalk, Joe
Meyer, Alfred Schweers, Preston
Gaines, John Neuman, Robert Koch,
and Andrew Braden, and Miss Lorine
Neuman, of Hondo; Mr. and Mrs.
Robert Riff, Mrs. O. to Sitre, Mrs.
Louis Oefinger, and Mrs. Alvin Bal-
zen, of Quihi-New Fountain; Mr. and
Mrs. J. D. Schweers and Mrs. Robert
Breiten of Dunlay; Mesdames John
Geant, F. C. Stinson, Robert Sitre,
John Sitre and R. W. Rick, of Rio
Medina; Mr. and Mrs. Otto Jungman,
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mangold, Mr.
and Mrs. Willie Pohl, Mr. and Mrs.
F. A. Bohl, Mr. and Mrs. Charles
Halty, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Adam, Har-
ry Bohl, Mrs. Louise Hitzfelder, Mrs.
Henry Kaufman, Mrs. Eugene Keller
and Miss Patricia Zinsmeyer, of La-
Coste.

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For sale or will trade for Hereford
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REUS, LaCoste, Texas.

Mr. Will James of the Green Tag
Store spent several weeks at Kilgore
at the bedside of his mother.

Rub in MINT RUB, Double Relief
from muscle strain and soreness, 35c
a tube at FLY DRUG CO.

Miss Dorothy Zerr was here from
Dallas last week visiting her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Zerr, and family.

WANTED 400- to 700-acre unim-
proved or slightly improved level
farm land. H. S. KERR, 1011 Avant
Ave., San Antonio.

Mrs. Richard Schultze and little
son, Dickie, of San Antonio spent the
week here with her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Charles Filleman.

Mrs. Earl Boon and daughter,
Mrs. George Newsom returned Satur-
day from Pettus where they were
guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Convey
for six or eight weeks.

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cheap as any. Come and see.

My thoroughbred white Arabian
stallion is making the season at my
farm, near Murphy school house.
Terms \$10.00 cash, paint colt guaran-
teed. DAVID N. BURNETT.

Mrs. Anna Weiblen of Castroville
underwent a major operation at Me-
dina Hospital on March 16th. She
successfully withstood the ordeal
and at latest report her condition
is satisfactory.

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See O. H. MILLER, Hondo, Texas,
Since 1907.

Mrs. Albert Bendele and Mrs.
Henry Batot Jr. and children of San
Antonio, and Mrs. August Schmidt
of Macdonia were here Monday visit-
ing Miss Bernell Bomba, who was a
patient at Medina Hospital.

Mrs. J. M. Finger and daughters,
Misses Frances and Rose Marie Finger,
Mrs. Volney Boon and Mrs.
Gale Ellis attended the wedding of
Miss Mary Lou Weyman and Lt.
Miller at Randolph Field Saturday
evening.

Mrs. Lucy Scherrer and Miss
Octavia Davis of San Antonio spent
Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher
Davis. They were accompanied by
Miss Lucy Davis of Runge who had spent the week-
end here.

Judge and Mrs. H. E. Haass and
Miss Ada Bell Carter spent the week-
end with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Knorr
in Corpus Christi. Mrs. Knorr will
be remembered as Miss Irene Haass. Mr.
and Mrs. Knorr are leaving next week
for Long Beach, California, to make
their home.

We always appreciate personal
items about your trips, the visits of
your guests and friends, the doings
of your clubs and societies, etc., when
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NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR COUNTY TRUSTEES.

The State of Texas,
County of Medina.

To All Whom This May Concern:

By virtue of authority vested in
me by law, I hereby order and notice
is hereby given, that there will be an
election held on Saturday, the 1st
day of April, 1939, by the qualified
voters of Commissioners Precincts
Nos. One, Two, Three and Four, in
said county, at the usual voting
places in and for each Common
School District in said Commis-
sioner's Precincts for the purpose of
electing County Trustees as follows:
(1) For the election of one County
Trustee at Large to fill the office
now held by Paul S. Keller, whose
term of office expires. Said Trustee
to be elected by the qualified voters
of Medina County.

(2) For the election of one County
Trustee for Commissioner's Precinct
No. 2, to fill the office now held by
O. J. Wurzbach whose term of office
expires. Said trustee to be elected
by the qualified voters of said pre-
cinct only.

(3) For the election of one County
Trustee for Commissioner's Precinct
No. 4, to fill the office now held by
C. C. Godden whose term of office
expires. Said trustee to be elected
by the qualified voters within said pre-
cinct only.

Said election shall be held at the
same time and place and by the same
election officers who hold the elec-
tion of Common School Trustees in
and for each Common School Dis-
trict; and the polls of said election
places shall be opened at 8 o'clock
A. M. and not close before 7 o'clock
P. M.

Witness my official hand and seal
of office, at Hondo, Texas, on this
the 9th day of March, A. D. 1939.

ARTHUR H. ROTHE,
County Judge,
Medina County, Texas.

COME TO THE AID OF THE SOIL.

Now is the time for all good farm-
ers to come to the aid of their soil.
The AAA is prepared to invest more
than six million dollars this year in
the direct improvement of Texas
cropland.

George Slaughter, farmer-chair-
man of the Texas Agricultural Con-
servation Committee with head-
quarters in College Station, said this
money—aside from 1939 "conserva-
tion" and "price adjustment" pay-
ments expected to total about \$85-
000,000—is available to help Texas
farmers carry out any or all of 25
prescribed soil-building practices,
such as terracing, contouring, plant-
ing forest trees, seeding legumes,
establishing pastures, and so forth.

Each practice is measured in terms
of units. For example, the construc-
tion of 200 linear feet of terrace
counts as one unit; seeding an acre
of sweetclover counts as a unit; and
planting an acre of forest trees rep-
resents five units. The rate of pay-
ment, or assistance, in carrying out
these practices is \$1.50 a unit.

Each farm has a maximum number
of units for which payments will be
made.

This maximum, called the "soil-
building allowance", is figured as the
sum of the following: (1) Fifty cents
per acre of cropland in excess of the
total soil-depleting allotment for the
farm; (2) \$1.50 per acre of com-
mercial orchards on the farm Jan. 1,
1939; and (3) 2 cents per acre of
noncrop open pasture land plus \$1.00
per animal unit of grazing capacity.

Slaughter urged farmers to plan
now to utilize their full soil-building
allowances; pointing out that Texas
farm operators in 1937, as a group,
fell \$4,000,000 short of earning all the
funds available for soil-building
practices.

C. M. MERRITT,
County Agri. Agent.

SECO P-T. A.

The regular monthly meeting of
the Seco P-T. A. was held last Fri-
day night. The entertainment for
the evening was given by the ex-stu-
dents of the school. The program
consisted of a number of musical se-
lections with which everyone was fa-
miliar.

Following a brief business meeting
coffee and doughnuts were served by
the hostesses, Miss Brucks and Miss
Harper.

Let the Hondo Land Co. sell your
land for you.

GET UP NIGHTS? It's Natures Danger Signal

Make this 25c test if functional
kidney disorders get you up nights.
Often the kidneys need flushing as
well as the bowels. Thousands have
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diuretic activity. Your 25c back
from any druggist if not pleased in
4 days. Locally at W. H. WINDROW,
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PRICELESS INFORMATION for
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DUODENAL ULCERS, DUE TO HYPER-
ACIDITY—POOR DIGESTION, ACID
DYSPEPSIA, SOUR STOMACH, GASSI-
NESS, HEARTBURN, CONSTIPATION,
HEADACHES, SLEEPLESSNESS OR
HEADACHES, DUE TO EXCESS ACID.

Explains the marvelous Willard Treat-
ment which is bringing amazing relief.
Sold on 15 days trial.

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During 1938 the largest lamb crop
on record was produced in Texas.
This large crop followed a previous
record established in 1937. Even with
the heavy marketing during 1938, the
expansion in sheep numbers con-
tinued into the farming areas and
into the western cattle country. The
number of sheep and lambs on farms
and ranches and in feed lots was es-
timated at 9,856,000 head compared
with 9,320,000 head a year earlier.
The number of stock sheep was es-
timated at 9,646,000 head compared
with 9,100,000 head on January 1,
1938. However, the average value per
head on January 1, 1939, for all
sheep was 45 cents below the per
head value a year ago, and the total
valuation of all sheep was placed at
\$43,946,000 compared with \$45,518-
000 on January 1, 1938.

The number of horses and mules
in the State continued to decline dur-
ing 1938, and the number on January
1, 1939, was estimated at 679,000
of all horses and 687,000 head of all
mules. The present number compares
with 707,000 head of horses on Janu-
ary 1, 1938, and 708,000 head of
mules. Total values also declined
sharply, and the value per head for
all horses at \$54.00 per head com-
pares with \$64.00 a year ago. Mule
values dropped from \$94.00 per head
on January 1, 1938, to \$85.00 on
January 1, 1939.

Attention is called to the Gillette
Bear tire advertisement elsewhere in
this paper. Mr. Herman Weyand has
just recently secured the distributing
agency for this new tire in Hondo,
and to introduce it is making some
attractive price and premium offers.
It will pay you to anticipate your
tire needs by taking advantage of
these offers.

This shop is equipped to do all
kinds of commercial printing and our
prices are reasonable. We can also
handle your orders for lithographing,
embossing or blank-book manufac-
turing. When it's office or com-
mercial stationery ring telephone 127
first.

Consult the advertisements in this
paper, then remember that no town
is ever built up by trade that goes
elsewhere, and patronize those who
show their loyalty to their town by
being loyal to its enterprises.

Old-Fashioned Tribute to Modern
Loveliness, OLD SPICE AMERICAN
TOILETRIES; Toilet Water, Bath
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Soap, Gift Sets; Again on display at
FLY DRUG CO.

Please remember, we can go any-
where when our services are desired
—day or night. Just ring Phone 75,
and we will attend to everything.—
JNO. A. HORGER, Funeral Director

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Barry's little
son, Jimmy, was operated for ap-
pendicitis Saturday at Medina Hos-
pital. He improved so rapidly that he
was able to be moved home Monday.

Clinton Jagge and a classmate,
Sully Reinhart of Poth, Texas, stu-
dents of St. Mary's University, visit-
ed Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Haass, Mon-
day.

Mr. C. J. Schleuning, District
Manager for the Southwestern Bell
Telephone Company, was here Wed-
nesday on business for his Company.

A fine 9-pound 5-ounce baby girl
was born on March 10, 1939, to Mr.
and Mrs. Burton Dixon of Hondo,
at the Medina Hospital.

The Hondo Land Company has
some exceptional bargains in town
lots. See Geo. H. Kimney or Fletcher
Davis for particulars.

THRILL YOUR LITTLE GIRL'S
HEART WITH A PRETTY NEW
SPRING HAT FROM HOLLMIG'S
DRESS SHOP.

Mrs. Clark Tondre and baby of
San Antonio are visiting her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Desra Mann, and family
this week.

Come to the Hondo Land Co. when
you wish to buy or sell real estate.

Italian Balm and Coolies, 55c
value for 35c, at FLY DRUG CO.

Fruits and candies of all kinds, at
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ANVIL SPARKS.

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late reports, they are still climbing,
and prospects hold that 1939 will see
a favorable total.

The continued desire the American
people have shown to purchase life
insurance, during even the worst of
depressions, is as good a sign of our
national character as could be asked
for. The average American wants to
be independent—he wants to pro-
vide adequately for himself and his
dependents in old age. He doesn't
want to be a ward of the govern-
ment. That augurs well for the fu-
ture.—Industrial News Review.

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SUNDAY - MONDAY

March 19-20
JACK BENNY
JOAN BENNETT
—IN—

"Artists and Models Abroad"

Her father was a millionaire...
but Buck Benny thought she was
a panhandler and gave her a hand-
out.

ALSO PARAMOUNT PICTORIAL

TUESDAY - WEDNES-
DAY - THURSDAY

March 21-22-23
WALLACE BEERY
ROBERT TAYLOR
FLORENCE RICE
in—

"Stand Up And Fight"

A lusty tale of the days when
America was young... and reach-
ing Westward to its destiny.

Also A Short Subject
"PENNY'S PICNIC"

AND A PARAMOUNT NEWS REEL

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Yes, sir—a strong, tough, "fine-car" tire—always ready for anything. Now yours almost at "GIVE-AWAY" prices. More tire—for less money!
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Who has a moderately improved farm of 40 to 60 acres, with some timber land, for sale at a reasonable price? Communicate with the Hondo Land Co.

Miss Ruby Bendele and Victor Tondre were here from Castroville Sunday visiting the latter's sister, Miss Rosemary Tondre, who was a patient at Medina Hospital.

Miss Bernell Bomba, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Bomba of Yancy, underwent an appendectomy on March 10th at the Medina Hospital. She was able to be moved Thursday to the home of Mrs. H. V. Haass Sr.

Mrs. Gale Ellis arrived home Friday from Beaver Falls, Pennsylvania, where she had been the guest of her father-in-law and mother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Ellis, since the death of Lt. Ellis last December. Mrs. Ellis is now making her home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Finer.

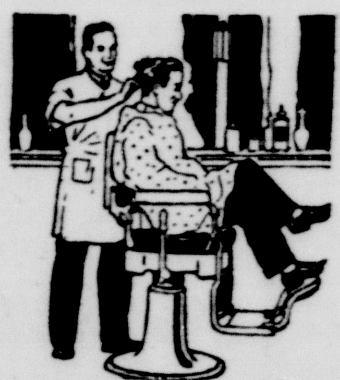
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QUIHI NOTES.

And he said, Am I in God's stead? Gen. 30:2.
It's Jacob's rather impatient answer to Rachel's unreasonable demand. Give me children, or else I die. Perhaps family intimacies should not be aired out in public. They are strictly private and nobody's business. Besides, Mr. Public is too busy with himself and has but a stopped up ear or flippant ridicule for it. Most of the time he is no competent judge in the matter, should he really stoop "low" enough to cast a reflective eye on small family affairs. His eye, ordinarily, is keyed for the big, the pompous, the would-be sensational or a few international scape-goats painted red by a press controlled, or even bought, by partisan interests, and so he is kept on the run with the daily veering winds of opinion, indicated by the jumpy weather-cock of the headlines. Mr. Public will consider it an imposition, an insult, to have his attention drawn to minor family problems.—But Holy Scripture brushes aside such preferences and prejudices. It insists on being heard. It's men and women, narratives and situations, minor and major problems, are typical. They are lessons, illustrations, discussions and directives for all times; now a guiding light and compass, then a fundamentally new decision and position, often a monitory warning and admonition, more so a source of strength and comfort. And its judicial renditions and verdicts brook no adulteration, compromise or substitution on the part of mortal man, regardless of what office or authority he assumes in the eyes of clamorous crowds. Holy Scripture holds the sovereignty, the supreme power, the voice of God. This fact remains, in spite of human errors and perversions. This voice and position is delegated to no one, nowhere. No one can be in God's stead and perform the functions of His office. Fortunately not. What would become of man, if his temporal and eternal lot would depend on another shifty and sinful man?—
"Am I in God's stead?" Rachel would not answer the question in the affirmative. No one would dare, unless steeped in arrogance or unbelief. Jacob holds fast to the dictum of the Psalmist: "Lo, children are an heritage of the Lord; and the Lord; and the fruit of the womb is His reward." So the quarrel, dear madam, is not with me, but with God. Neither science nor levity has another explanation, though both revolt against that dictum and befuddle the mystery of human birth with high-sounding conjectures and theories or with silly filthiness, respectively, trying hard to make man his own creator, placing him in God's stead, but arriving nowhere. Man might counteract the intentions of the Lord, and sin always has that tendency, by prevention. But he cannot bring about childbirth without the human factors established by God and without the mysterious process instituted by Him and without His creative power and consent, all attempts to the contrary. Rachel and many other women must learn this lesson with heartaches.—"Am I in God's stead?" The question with its negative answer implies much more, however. "Ye shall be as gods", that fallacious promise of the tempter in paradise has gotten a stranglehold with mankind ever since. Man actually considers himself in "God's stead". In that assumption he thinks and acts, devises and arranges divides and claims, pushes ahead in every direction. He uses the resources of God without any sense of responsibility. The law and statutes of God he treats with utter disregard. What God's sunshine and the soil's fertility produces, man uses recklessly for his own selfish purposes and sneers at the requisites of God's kingdom. Look the world up and down, past and present, who ruled with dictatorial powers; amassed fortunes and destroyed them, built with material from God's lumberyard and again wantonly destroyed the structures in a fit of rage; killed by the thousands and millions valuable lives that God brought forth under tears and agonies; polluted memories and minds that were to think the sublimest thoughts, enlisted talents and energies given for God's most noble purposes, in the accomplishments of policies that eventually led to the ruin and destruction of God's handiwork? Who rejects God's saving hand, the Gospel, the Cross, His grace and spirit and tries to work out his own salvation by his work, his morality, speculations, superstition and mysticism? Man, the would-be God, the grass that withereth, the flower that felleth away; "but the word of the Lord endureth forever".

A rich program again was presented by the Luther League last Sunday.



SATISFIED WITH YOUR LAST HAIRCUT?

Too short? Too long? Not even? There isn't much to do about it now—but next time have it done at—

LAAKE'S BARBER SHOP

The only barber shop in Hondo that uses soft water.

day and we had a large appreciative attendance. It's always a fine evening without regrets and with something for the heart and the region above the chin. We append the next program, beside other standing numbers not less interesting: Select readings, Miss Lucille Boehle, Mrs. Arnold Lindeburg, John Henry Boehle; Vocal selections, Mr. Roy Bohlen, Mr. Rolf Saathoff, Mr. Herbert Brucks; Instrumental selections, Miss Delia Hartman. The next time we meet at 7:30 P. M.

Our business meeting included the memorial service for Mr. Frank Boehle, the former vice-president of the league and one of the most ardent members since the beginning of the league in 1932, also having been the first secretary. A committee on Resolutions of Condolence was appointed. Mrs. Ehme Saathoff, Mr. Arnold Lindeburg and Mr. Elmer Nielsenhofer. Mr. Roy Bohlen was unanimously elected for the vice-presidency.

The joyous news drifted in from Warren, Arizona, of the arrival of a baby-girl born to Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Hardt, the latter formerly Miss Lorine Bohlen. We rejoice with them.

Remember the next Lenten service, Wednesday, March the 22nd., at 8 P. M. Service in German. The Lord is awaiting you.

Announcements for March the 19th: German service at 10:30; Sunday school and Bible class at 9:30 A. M. No evening service. We cordially invite you.

C. W.

A shower of frogs was reported from a village in Normandy last week. Over here we just get the same old cats and dogs.—Montreal News.

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PERSONAL APPEARANCE.

Space is at a premium this week, so P. A. is limited to "short subjects":

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GEN BRUCKS refuses to tell a secret.

O. A. FLY refuses to make a date for MURRIEL STIEGLER.

"BABO" WINDROW and EDMUND NEY, at the University of Texas, have the promising gleam of Phi Beta Kappa in their eyes.

Two pretty red heads in the recital Friday were LAURA LEE LEINWEBER and NOVELLE LAMBERT.

We admired: The aplomb and non-chalance of "SONNY" HARLLEE and HENRY MEYER HOLLOWAY at the piano.

Ditto: The "little girl" frocks worn by little girls, BETTY ANN GARRISON and MAYBETH BARRY.

Ditto: The voices of HENRY MARTIN FINGER and RUTH RUCKER.

Congratulations to MRS. C. D. SADLER for one of the smoothest recitals ever given in Hondo.

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H. S. H. Bulgerin made home plate (first page) last week on an error—'tis for the Equitable Life Assurance Society that he is representative—but he says he won't prosecute as he still hopes of making a newspaper man out of us.

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COUNTRY WOMEN

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WASHINGTON SNAPSHOTS

by
James Preston

The opinions here expressed are
Mr. Preston's own and not neces-
sarily those of this paper.—M. E.

NO MORE TAXES?

Pronouncements by Federal officials
that business can be assured it
need have no fear of new taxes this
year has given rise to some pertinent
questions on this subject.

Businessmen are not alone in ask-
ing the question either, for Congress-
men are puzzled, too. Also, it pre-
sents a neat jigsaw for the country
as a whole because it raises the ques-
tion of whether price tags are to be
further inflated with hidden taxes.

The question quite naturally asked
by the businessmen is found behind
those two words "this year". The
question: "But how about next year
and the year after and so on?" After
all, confidence for business to move
forward is measured by industrial ex-
pansion and capital investment and
it is based not on the immediate fu-
ture, but on a long range outlook. A
businessman doesn't build a \$5,000-
000 factory for one year's business.

Here is the puzzler for the Con-
gressmen: In his January 5 message,
the President asked for new taxes to
raise \$422,000,000 for armament ex-
pansion and increased farm parity
payments. Now the theme is "no
more taxes", but the expansion pro-
gram is still asked for.

If all this isn't enough to make the
country puzzle conscious (or uncon-
scious) there is still the question of
what to do about the ever mounting
National debt. It now stands at \$40-
000,000,000. Congressmen and every-
body else know there must be a day
of reckoning when the debt must be
paid: The question is: "When will
that day come?"

—WSS—

There was more than a little hu-
mor in the calling in by some of the
Capital's brain trusters recently of
one of the nation's foremost private
accountants to whom it assigned the
task of preparing a definition on
manufacturing costs in connection
with one of the many scrutinies being
made into American business. After
puzzling for a moment or two the
accountant said he considered the
task too great a one to accomplish
offhand and asked for some time to
prepare it. Several days later he for-
warded his definition to Washington.
It had been carefully prepared and
comprised between 200 and 300
words. Annoyed, the brain trusters
returned it to him and insisted that
he put the definition in not more
than two sentences. They told him
if he could not do it they would have
to do it themselves. The prominent
accountant informed them, however,
that he felt he knew his business and
was certain the definition could not
be arbitrarily written in less space
than that which he had used. To date
the brain trusters have not produced
a definition on the subject in line
with their specifications.

—WSS—

Here is an old complaint in re-
verse: The U. S. Department of La-
bor complains that men are "en-
croaching" on jobs held by women.
In a report to Congress, the Depart-
ment says government "should take
emergency steps" to stop men from
invading the fields of employment
traditionally feminine.

—WSS—

If a farmer hitched a team of
attempted to move the wagon in op-
posite directions at the same time, he
would be laughed at. He might even
be committed to an institution for
mental observation. At best, he would
pull his wagon to pieces.

Nevertheless, there are apparently
some in Washington who think the
two-directions-at-once theory has
possibilities. And to test it, they
have put it to practice.

Here are a few "horses of incon-
sistency" hitched to the Nation's eco-
nomic wagon, as gleaned from a sur-
vey of current Federal functions, poli-
cies and theories:

1. One agency, the Bureau of Re-
clamation, is busy spending millions to
reclaim waste land and put it to pro-
ductive use. Another agency, the Ag-
riculture Department, is spending
considerably more millions to take
land out of production by paying
farmers for not planting on the land.

2. One agency, the Agriculture De-
partment again, is trying to boost
prices by an enforced scarcity. Mean-
while, other government agencies
(TVA for example) are trying to
force prices lower by putting govern-
ment in competitive business with
private enterprise and thus create the
extreme opposite of scarcity—abun-
dance.

3. Any number of government
agencies are endeavoring to put more
money in circulation (by pump prim-
ing spending) to boost the national

"NOBODY'S BUSINESS."

By
Julian Capers, Jr.

The opinions here expressed are
the author's own and not neces-
sarily those of this paper.—M. E.

Austin, March 13.—The prospect
of a deadlocked session of the 46th
Legislature, which might end its 120-
day regular sitting without passing
any additional tax legislation, loomed
large this week-end, as the House of
Representatives prepared to begin
floor consideration of the omnibus
constitutional amendment carrying a
2½ per cent sales tax plus a 25 per
cent hike on natural resource taxes,
which its committees drafted and re-
ported out last week. The split among
house members over the sales tax
feature was graphically shown, when
it voted down efforts to set the
amendment for special order, with
51 votes registered against it. The
anti-sales tax group, which proposes
to offer various substitutes for the
sales tax feature, including stiffer
rates on natural resources, a state
income levy, and a gross receipts
tax, caucused, and reported 56 votes
pledged against the sales tax. Labor
officially entered a vigorous protest
against the sales tax. Various other
groups, including retail merchants,
are prepared to fight to the last ditch
against the sales levy. But debate on
the House floor, and the test votes
which will follow shortly, will be the
only true indication of whether suf-
ficient House votes can be held in
line to beat the sales tax.

Won't Pay The Bill.

On the other hand, the very in-
terests which have fostered the com-
mittee amendment built around the
sales tax, will fight to the last ditch
against a state income levy, which
they cannot pass on to somebody else,
or against higher natural resource
taxes than the 25 percent which they
seem willing to take, if it is coupled
with a sales tax that will put most
of the pension burden upon the poor,
and "freeze" the rates into the Con-
stitution.

Indicative of carelessness in pre-
paration of the amendment is the
revelation that the sales tax amend-
ment, if it yields the revenue esti-
mated by the committee, it will still
fall about \$9,000,000 short of the
sum necessary to finance the social
security program, including the \$35-
000,000 needed to guarantee an in-
come of \$30 monthly to all over 65—
the plan urged by the governor after
he had won the election, as a substi-
tute for his earlier flat promise of
\$30 cash for everybody, which he
made during the campaign. The com-
mittee estimated its amendment
would raise \$33,000,000 a year. It is
proposed to devote \$4,000,000 to
teachers pensions and aid for desti-
tute children. The committee esti-
mated it would cost \$26,000,000 to
guarantee an income of \$30 a month
to all over 65, but later estimates
place this requirement at \$35,000-
000. Thus, the committee appears to
have made a little \$9,000,000 error,
which has added nothing to the popu-
larity of its proposal.

Woodward Is Confirmed.

Prompt confirmation of Walter
Woodward, ex-Senator from Cole-
man, ex-president of the Texas Bar
association, corporation lawyer and
lobbyist who enjoys the friendship of
most legislators, as Chairman of the
Board of Insurance Commissioners
and Life Commissioner, went far to-
ward healing the breach over ap-
pointments between the Senate and
the Governor. His confirmation fol-
lowed withdrawal by O'Daniel of the
name of J. C. Hunter of Abilene to
be Highway Commissioner. If the
Governor names some reputable East
Texan now to be Highway Commis-
sion chairman, it is likely he will be
quickly confirmed, and the battle
over nominations will be over. The
governor no longer sees the report-
ers, so hotel lobbies are full of
rumors concerning a dozen prospective
nominees for the highway post,
without anyone having definite in-
formation.

Politics Is Evident

Proponents of legislation to effect
budgetary and auditing reforms ran
into a snag this week, when action on
Sen. George Moffett's bill to create a
State Budget director, named by the
governor, ran into strong opposition
and adjournment was necessary to
save it from defeat. Some senators do
not want to pass the bill until the
House and the governor have acted
upon the bill already passed by the
Senate, to permit the Legislature to
name the State Auditor. Declaration
was made on the floor that the Gov-
ernor is trying to "horse trade" on
the bill, and Moffett, while denying
any such deal, declared if he were
governor, he would never sign the
auditor bill until the legislature had
passed his measure permitting the
Governor to name the budget direc-
tor. Both measures are badly needed
as a first step toward modernizing
the fiscal setup of the State, but
political manipulation prevent pass-
age of either.

Test On Road Bill Up

This week probably will see a test
of strength in the fight between cer-
tain County Judges who are sponsor-
ing the bill seeking to have the State
Board of County Bond Indebtedness
assume \$180,000,000 worth of "dead

income to 80 billion dollars annually.
At the same time, the Social Security
Board is attempting to drain, by tax-
ation, 40 billion dollars from the na-
tion's purse for a reserve fund for
use in 1920.

There are other "horses" hitched
to the economic vehicle and pulling
against each other, but those just
mentioned are the ones putting the
greatest strain on the harness—and
on the wagon.

—WSS—

A constituent has written one of
the Congressmen a puzzling letter, to
wit: "Please send me at once a list of
everything that has not been inven-
ted."

harse" county lateral road bonds. So
far, no indication has come from
Washington that the Department of
Agriculture will reverse its previous
opinion that passage of the County
Judges' bill would constitute diversion
of gasoline tax money, and
would result in Texas being pen-
alized \$4,000,000 of its Federal road
aid allocation, under the Federal
Hayden-Cartwright law. Sen. Clint
Small plans to call up his bill renew-
ing the present agreement to pay off
bonds on county roads which have
been taken into the state highway
system, and will seek to amend it to
incorporate the compromise plan of
the Texas Good Roads Association.
The latter plan proposes to refund
to the counties payments made dur-
ing past years on the bonds used for
State roads by the counties, when the
income from the 1 cent of the gaso-
line tax was insufficient to meet the
payments in full, as it now does. Sen.
Will Pace of Tyler, will seek then
to substitute the County Judges bill,
with but faint prospect of success,
unless the Washington ruling should
be reversed.

Austin Notes.

The drivers' license law, which was
stuck in committee for several
weeks, has emerged with a favorable
report in the House, and now seems
assured of passage without too much
butchering by amendment, leaving a
stricter enforcement setup, and a 50-
cent a year fee, although the latter
may be reduced. Progress also
was made at a public hearing on a
new land vacancy law, designed to
curb the "vacancy hunting racket",
and give original purchasers of land
on which vacancy claims are filed a
broader preferential right to acquire
the vacancies, instead of giving all of
the "breaks" to unscrupulous vacancy
hunters. Simultaneously, Attorney
General Gerald Mann filed suit to
cancel a vacancy sales of 2,652 acres
of rich producing oil land in West
Texas, made by ex-Land Commissioner
Bill McDonald during his last week
in office to R. L. York. York paid \$3
an acre for the land, and the attor-
ney general alleges his vacancy claim
is void, and the price paid is so "so
grossly inadequate as to shock the
consciences of reasonable-minded
people". The House liquor Com-
mittee killed by a 13 to 4 vote the
bill of the Hardin twins to abolish the
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liquor dealers and dry spokesmen
supporting the board.

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nink, trustees for the stockholders
of First National Bank of Hondo,
Texas, in a certain cause in said
court, No. 3581, styled Claude W.
Gilliam et al, trustees, stockholders
of the First National Bank of Hondo,
Texas, vs. R. J. Taylor and wife,
Sallie Taylor, placed in my hands for
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Sheriff of Medina County, Texas,
did, on the 8th day of March A. D.,
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1. 40 acres of land, being off of
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dated March 2nd, 1918 of record in
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County, Texas, in Vol. G, No. 11,
page 418.

2. 17 acres of land out of the N.
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Bruchet, a stake; thence West along
said South line 360 varas to the place
of beginning, being the same land
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37 page 188 of the Deed Records of
Medina County, Texas, to which
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CHAS. J. SCHUEHLE,
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BLIND MAN IN THE GARDEN.

With careful steps the blind man goes
Alone along the garden walk;
Without a guide, and yet he knows
Where bloom his favorites, the rose,
The lily, and the scented stock.

He breathes aroma sweet, and hears
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SINGING HEARTS.

By Gloria Brumby

Sparkling notes trilled from the yellow throat of Saffron, the canary. Carolee Osmond's fair face darkened as she crossed to the window, lifted up a little flowered cretonne cover and put it over the cage.

A scowl passed over her husband's face. "What did you do that for, Carol?"

"He gives me a bad pain. What he finds to sing about in this place beats me."

"He was just celebrating." Carolee looked at her husband steadily. "Celebrating what? What is there to celebrate now? You're always celebrating something, like any kid."

She took Jimmie Osmond's hand from her hair and pushed it away.

He flushed. "Only that we're getting a bonus at the office and we'll be able to make a down payment on the little lot next to ours. You know that I've always wanted to have a little garden."

"But you'll garden without me, Jimmie. My idea of a good time doesn't run to chickens and strawberries and warbling birds. You know that we're not making a go of things. What's the use of thinking that we could hit it off fine among flowers. No, Jimmie, I've made up my mind to go back home to the city."

"Away from me," Jimmie remarked incredulously, "and from Saffron?"

"Don't look so surprised. I've often spoken of going. Now I have decided to do it. That's all. We're cramping each other's style."

James Victor Osmond, all of twenty-six years old, looked at his completely poised young wife.

"Why you stimulate mine, Carolee."

"Sorry I can't return the compliment, old boy."

Jimmie looked into her excitedly radiant eyes. "Carolee," he said softly, "don't you get thrills from an apple tree in blossom, or from a grapevine sprawled across a latticed arbor, and doesn't your heart sing with the birds, sometimes?"

"Sorry, but I don't believe it does." She was thinking of the big lot she had made with the city boys before Jimmie had relegated her to a cottage in the country, as she pulled down the shade of the casement window.

And Jimmie was thinking about his hasty marriage to the city belle, his hurried honeymoon, and his financial and domestic problems.

"I'll never regret having had you, a little while, anyway, and I've appreciated what you've given me."

"You're a good sport, Jimmie. Some husbands would have thrown you or bullets."

"Very foolish, Carolee. But I hope that you will be perfectly contented and happy—always."

"I hope you won't be too lonesome, Jimmie. Of course, you'll have the canary—and the greenfly."

"Let's celebrate for the last time together," and he rose and uncovered the bird which warbled peacefully.

"No, Jimmie, I'm taking no chance in a reconciliation."

"Wouldn't it be worth a try?" "It definitely wouldn't, Jimmie. And I don't want anything to happen to my decision. It took me long enough to make up my mind."

So Jimmie Osmond drove his wife to the station in the old car, and waited for it all to be over. It soon was and he chugged back to the pretty cottage less than twenty miles from the city limits of Cheswood.

The garden was aglow with the spring blooms that his wife had helped him to plant, rather reluctantly, of course, for the cool earth that he pressed around the small brown bulbs had not thrilled her.

Lonely days followed, but Jimmie sat the canary and sometimes he brought home work from the office to keep him occupied.

"Invite me to dinner to-night, Jimmie," said pretty Mabel Gayle of the bookkeeping department. "We can go over the accounts together and I'll help you put the canary to bed."

"He's a bashful bird, Mabel."

"That's no reason for you to be bashful too. Besides I'd like to have a look at your grapevines. My gran in Florida had some fine ones, and I know something about them."

Jimmie felt tempted. Mabel was a pretty faced, homey girl, and she had looked good with a large garden on her permanent wave, so he set out for the following Saturday afternoon.

"Well, Mrs. Osmond, who would expect to meet you in a pet shop. You always said that you had time for dumb animals, that folks were dumb enough for you."

"I've just decided to take an interest in birds, Mabel."

"Don't you have them in the city?" "They're different," she said. "And Mabel as the storekeeper wrapped up a big package of canary seed and handed it to the girl."

"Oh, just helping out a friend. Bye-bye and good luck."

"Thanks, Mabel. Either I'm going to have very, very good luck, or else I'm going to be buying birdseed hereafter."

Just before closing time on Saturday Jimmie found a note on his desk. It was from Mabel.

"Dear Jimmie, I'm sorry I can't come to the winding path that led to his door, he heard Saffron's cheery notes, and they sounded even more pleasant than ever."

Opening the door, he stared at the source of the bird's excitement. Mabel was apparently entertaining company even if he weren't.

"Guess who's here!" said a soft voice that thrilled him thru and thru. "Carolee, darling," he breathed, leaning out at his wife who was

struggling with the ties of an enormous be-ribboned garden hat.

"Oh, Jimmie," she sobbed in his arms. "Will you forgive me if I swear that baby and I will always want just you and Saffron and the flowers and chicks."

"Baby?" he murmured, clasping his wife close. "My sweet."

"Yes, Jimmie, darling. It seems that roses and chickens are not the only things that we will raise together."

"Let's celebrate," said Jimmie with a grin. "Let's throw a party for our singing hearts, tra-la."

THE TRENCH SILO.

Silage should be considered a substitute for green pasture. It has about the same value in the ration of a dairy cow or beef animal as does green pasture. A silo makes it possible to have green feed when it is too dry or too wet to use a pasture. In the semi-arid climate that we have, every farm should have a trench silo to conserve the green feed of a normal year, for use in dry years.

NOW is the time to plan for filling a trench silo—by planting the necessary feed stuffs. The problem belongs to all who have silos, and to all who have intentions of building one before harvest time.

The trench furnishes the cheapest form of silo from the standpoint of cash expenditure, and may be constructed in a short time. The necessary equipment for construction includes a plow, Fresno, picks and shovels. They can be built in size to meet the individual needs. They may be as small as three feet wide by three feet deep and any desired length. In most soils, the sides should be sloped so that they will have a slope of about one foot to each four feet of depth, to reduce the tendency of the walls to cave.

Make the cross section of the trench proportionate to the size of the herd of cattle that will be fed. For example, if only 10 head of cattle will be fed, a suggested cross section would be a top width of 6 feet, a bottom width of 4 feet and a depth of five or six feet.

In figuring the capacity of the trench, experience shows that a cubic foot of silage weighs from 20 to 40 pounds after settling.

C. M. MERRITT,
County Agri. Agent.

FISHING SEASON CLOSES MARCH 1.

The two-month closed season on Texas fishing went into effect March 1, with variations.

The general state law provides a closed season on bass and crappie during the month of March and April, and prohibits use of artificial bait or seines or nets during that period.

There are many other "variations." Sportsmen were advised by Will J. Tucker, game department executive, to consult game wardens of their districts regarding fishing laws that apply in their sections.

In those counties closed only to bass and crappie, other fish may be caught during the "closed" season, except where prohibited by special county laws.

Bandera county's closed season on all fishing went into effect Jan. 1 and will extend to May 1. Medina lake, however, was open to fishermen in January. Its closed season went into effect Feb. 1 and extends until May 1.

Bexar county's special law closes its waters to bass, perch, crappie and catfish anglers from Feb. 1 to May 1.

Medina county waters are closed to bass, perch, crappie and catfish angling until May 1. The closure took effect Feb. 1.

THE MEXICAN AND HIS MANDOLIN

HE tempers the prison's discipline. With the plaintive wail of a mandolin. That floats around in this house of sin.

Lazy, hazy strains that quiver, Crazy, mazy tunes that shiver Through the halls, in our stalls, Ricocheting off the walls.

Mystic chords that own no fashion Oft betray his secret passion; Strangest music ever heard— Mellow sounds without a word.

Listless fingers, idly strumming Prison blues—a ceaseless humming Echoing through this cage of steel— Making tired senses reel!

O weepy, sleepy mandolin, What curious lullabies you spin! During evening's dreary hours, When the conscience-stricken cowers In a prison's narrow cell,

Cruel, man-made, living hell— In a cubicle of stone, Where he must hush his crime atone.

Yours alone is voice of cheer Sailing through the atmosphere.

—FELIX BRILLAS
February KALEIDOGRAPH.



THE HOME IS HALF THE FARM

By T. C. Richardson, Secretary
Breeder-Feeder Association

"Last call for breakfast in the dining car" sings the porter as he goes the belated passengers into activity. They have only to weave their way to the tables and pay the price, to regale themselves on the fat of the land gathered from far and near and served by others—and what a price! Only farm folk can break-fast, dine and sup on the delectables of a daily menu without paying the pyramided cost of production, transportation, processing, preparation and service which compel the high prices on hotel and dining car bills of fare.

Do we need a gong to arouse us to our opportunities of high living at a low cost? Then let's "play like" (as children say) the gong is ringing for the last call—not only for breakfast, but for dinner and supper as well! It's that time of year when the good eats of summer, fall and winter are assured by planning and planting; or else are left to the uncertainties of accident and "cash income" from salable farm commodities. Too often we do without the best things of life on the mistaken theory that "we can buy them cheaper than we can produce" them.

All the elements of a first-class diet are farm-grown, and most of them are ready to use without going to town for processing. Here's what every member of the family needs for a year's wholesome and satisfying diet. Multiply these figures by the number in the family and you have the requirements for which planning and planting must be done early in the year:

Milk, 91 gallons; eggs, 30 dozen; meat, 175 pounds (including fat for cooking); potatoes, 200 pounds; green and yellow vegetables, 200 pounds; other vegetables 200 pounds; citrus or tomatoes, 100 pounds; other fruits, 200 pounds; grain products (flour, meal, cereals) 170 pounds; butter, 20 pounds; sweets (sugar,

syrup, preserves, etc.) 70 pounds; dried peas and beans, 15 pounds.

There is not a farm in the Southwest which cannot produce every item in this list except the sugar and grain products. Fresh meat (chicken, turkey, beef, veal, lamb or mutton, fresh pork) should be served at least once a day for a wholesome, healthful and strength-giving diet, and dry beans or peas three times a week. They grow on the farm and go to the table without paying tribute to handlers and processors.

The United States as a whole eats nearly 70 pounds of beef, veal lamb and mutton per capita, per year. Ironically enough the people who have to buy it eat more than those who grow it. Texas is a producer of great surpluses of all these fresh meats, yet her people consume only 15.5 pounds per capita or less than one-fifth the average for the whole United States. Arkansas farm people consume only about 8 pounds of beef per capita, though every pound of beef must grow on some farm or ranch, and there is enough waste on the average farm to produce all the meat the family can eat. It is no longer necessary to eat fresh meat only at killing time, for either canning or freezing (or both) is within the reach of every family, making possible the daily meat service throughout the year.

There is no reason why we should buy navy beans from Michigan, limas and black-eyed peas from California, pinto beans from Colorado, when a few rows of each will provide a variety of these nourishing foods. The recommended menu calls for them three times a week, but a little forethought in planting will prevent the necessity of eating the same kind all the time.

To say nothing of the fact that garden vegetables are best when they go from garden direct to table, the money saved by producing and preserving the home supply of foods will buy something else which can't be raised on the farm—say a refrigerator, a washing machine, a radio, and a thousand other manufactures.

gold, extreme west side of the Chicon lake field, was drilling at 550 feet.—Sunday Light.

ANSWERS TO OUR PUZZLE CORNER.

No. 205—"B" objects—bundle, body, box, blade, breeches, blouse, beast, bird, beak, branch, bow, bark, building, board, brook.

Figgerheads—66. American City—Watertown. Dots—Self explanatory.

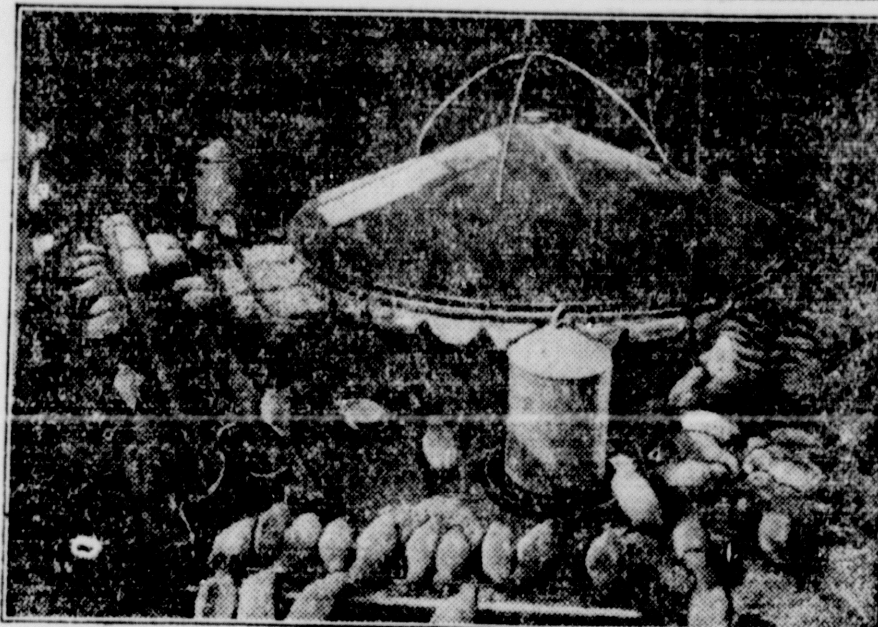
The Anvil Herald phone is 127. Call two rings for office or three rings for residence.

"Texas Superior", a Hereford, was adjudged grand champion steer of the Golden Gate Livestock Show, and his owner, Clifford Jordan, of Mason, Texas, was awarded a silver platter. Jordan's entry, exhibited by Bruce Robertson of Fort Worth, Texas, previously received \$50 as champion of his class and \$50 as breed champion. The calf, exhibited in the National Western Show at Denver earlier this year, was adjudged reserve grand champion there. The calf was also shown in the show at Ogden, Utah.

Dr. W. E. York, on his farm in Lee county, is sodding his pasture with Bermuda grass in furrows about 4 feet apart with the Bermuda placed about 3 feet apart in the furrows. The sod pieces are covered with a small plow; the entire cost totaling less than \$1.00 per acre, and results expected to be much better than from the seeding process.

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Electric Chick Brooders Are Simple, Safe and Economical



Counterbalanced on a rope, this electric colony-type hover easily can be inspected, cleaned and adjusted.

ALTHOUGH the hen was and is the natural brooder of her chicks, modern mass-production methods have resulted in the development of numerous substitutes including those heated by coal, oil, wood, gas, steam and hot water. But, where high-line service is available, brooding with electricity is preferable for several reasons:

It requires little time to install and regulate the hover; the fire hazard is practically eliminated; the temperature under the hover is automatically controlled; less labor and attention is necessary; mortality usually is lower, the chicks healthier, stronger and better feathered; and the overall cost generally is less than that of other sources of heat.

There are two distinct types of electric brooders—colony and battery. The colony brooder is commonly used by the average poultryman as well as the farmer who raises only a few chicks each year. The battery brooder is used chiefly by custom hatcheries and broiler producers.

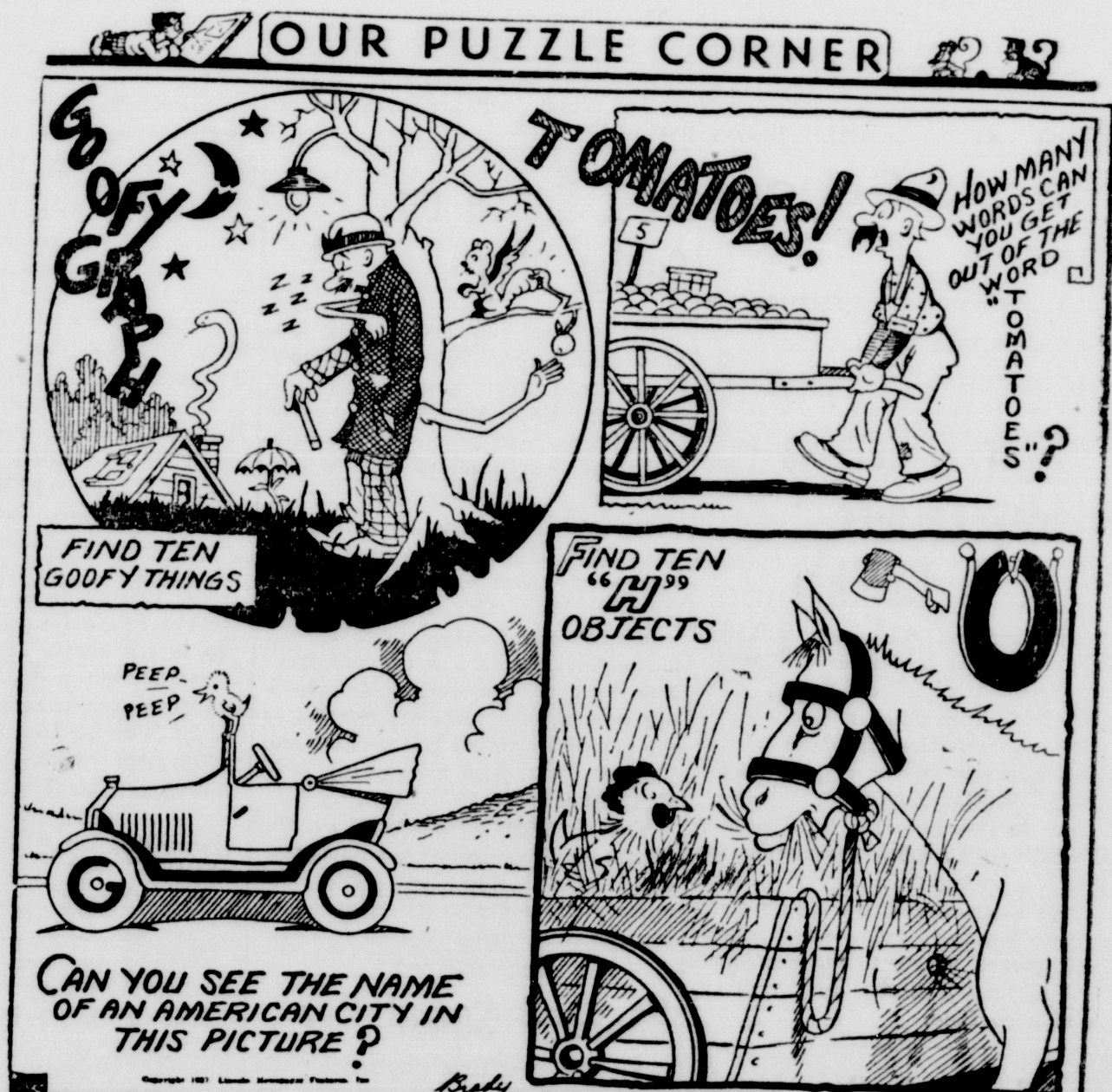
As a great deal of moisture is given off by the chicks through respiration and from droppings, adequate heat and some system of ventilation is necessary to keep the litter dry under the colony-type electric hover. Two kinds of ventilation are used in such brooders: The gravity, or natural; and the fan forced-air system.

When selecting an electric brooder, the following points should be considered: Size; wattage and type of heating element; and insulation, construction and ventilation of the hover. Because the capacities are given in day-old chicks, ordinarily only about half as many chicks should be put under the brooder as are usually recommended.

Depending upon its size and construction, an electric brooder can be purchased for from about \$5.00 to \$65.00. Generally, it is cheaper in the long run to install a more expensive unit as, because of its superior construction and insulation, it will last longer and have a lower operating cost.

The amount of electricity required by an electric brooder depends upon several factors: Outside temperature; hover temperature; construction of brooder house; type, construction and insulation of brooder; number of chicks; and management. However, the power used in a six-week brooding period during March, April and May varies from 0.5 to 1.5 kw.-hr. per chick. At a three-cent rate, this gives an average brooding cost of about 3 cents per chick.

Complete information on electric brooders can be obtained by writing to your state college or university, or from any of the several manufacturers of such equipment.



OUR PUZZLE CORNER

LITTLE BUDDY



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:-: D'Hanis Doings :-:

A round-up of Local, Personal and Business Items gathered weekly by our regular Correspondent

Miss Josie Rothe

to whom all items intended for this column should be handed not later than Wednesday noon of each week. Miss Rothe is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper.

D'HANIS, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 15, 1939

KENO PARTY AT THE PARISH HALL SUNDAY EVENING, MARCH 19. ALL HAND-MADE PILLOW CASES. FIVE ENTRANCE PRIZES.
Mr. and Mrs. Matt Koch and family, and Jeanette Langfeld spent Sunday as guests of Mrs. Koch's mother, Mrs. Jack Bilhartz, in Biry.
Lawrence and Howard Rothe went to Fort Worth Friday to attend the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Britz and Miss Marie Britz of San Antonio spent the week-end here with relatives.

Miss Mary Langfeld of San Antonio visited her sister, Mrs. J. F. Kimmerly, last week.

Mrs. Fred Lieber of Castroville is visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. James Couser of La Pryor have arrived for an indefinite stay in D'Hanis, where he is employed in highway work. He is a brother of Superintendent Couser.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ludwig and sons, Mrs. R. E. Brignac, and Miss Alice Wolff of San Antonio spent the week-end with their mother, Mrs. Frank Wolff and son, Clarence.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wolff and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Haby of Hondo Sunday for Mrs. Haby's birthday dinner.

Mrs. Mary Ann Koch is visiting relatives in San Antonio.

Miss Verine Finger of San Antonio spent the week-end here.

(Mr. and Mrs. Sebastian Wolff had as their guests Saturday Mr. and Mrs. John Hieser of Castroville.

C. OF C. HEARS ABOUT WATER PROJECT.

Members of the D'Hanis Chamber of Commerce held their regular meeting in the W. O. W. Hall Monday evening, March 13. The president, J. B. Nester, introduced the guest speaker, Albert C. Moore, consulting engineer of San Antonio. The latter addressed the meeting on the importance of pure water and the possibilities of procuring a water system for D'Hanis under WPA ruling. Among the requirements would be the formation of a water district including the town, and the voting of revenue bonds for sponsorship money.

The president appointed the following committee to study the question further: J. P. Ephraim, chairman; Ben Koch, Mr. A. Zinsmeyer, J. Finger, and O. W. Tondre.

D'HANIS HIGH SCHOOL NEWS

owgirls Win Sabinal Tournament
Saturday, March 11, the D'Hanis volleyball girls journeyed to Sabinal to participate in an invitation tournament. D'Hanis drew Utopia in the first round and easily overcame them. Progressing to the semi-finals, D'Hanis met the powerful Leakey

Hondo School News

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Procter & Gamble Employ Former

H. S. Teacher

Mr. Shufford McDonald, the former commercial instructor and assistant football coach of Hondo High School, left Friday afternoon for Fort Smith, Arkansas, where he will be a salesman in the employ of the Procter & Gamble Co.

Mr. McDonald came to Hondo in the fall of '37 after graduation the previous spring from Baylor University in Waco, Texas. During his short stay in Hondo he made many friends who, though hating to see him leave, wish him much success and happiness in his new field.

Hondo High Has New Commercial Teacher

Arrived Thursday From Austin

Mr. T. La Bauve arrived last Thursday, March 9, as substitute for Mr. Shufford McDonald, former commercial teacher and assistant football coach of Hondo High School.

Mr. La Bauve came to Hondo from Austin where he was employed by the Remington Typewriter Co. He attended the University of Texas and received his degree from S. W. T. S. T. C.

Mr. La Bauve taught school previous to his position with the Typewriter Co.

Mrs. La Bauve is still in Austin but she plans to join her husband in the near future.

team. Slightly nervous at first, D'Hanis allowed Leakey six points and then settled down and went to work. From this point on D'Hanis was complete master of the situation, the final score of the first game being 15-8. D'Hanis won the second game also by a score of 15-8. D'Hanis easily conquered Sabinal in the finals to win the tournament.

—Reporter.

D'HANIS F. F. A. NEWS.

The D'Hanis F. F. A. Chapter held a regular meeting Wednesday, March 8, in the Farm Shop. Mr. W. P. Norvell, former Agriculture teacher of the D'Hanis F. F. A., was elected as an honorary member of the D'Hanis F. F. A. After the meeting was over, refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake were enjoyed by all.

During the past three years the D'Hanis F. F. A. have had Mr. W. P. Norvell as their Agriculture teacher and they have enjoyed their presence with him during his stay. While he was here the boys won two cups and several awards. They had several summer tours with Mr. Norvell, and they feel as if they will never get another Mr. Norvell, because he was always helping the boys in every way he could. Mr. Norvell left for Blanco, about 47 miles north of San Antonio. At this time we as a member of the D'Hanis Chapter of Future Farmers of America, wish Mr. Norvell luck and hope he will continue to climb the ladder of success.

F. F. A. Boys Attend The Fort Worth Fat Stock Show.

Several members, accompanied by Mr. Norvell, attended the Fort Worth Fat Stock Show and Rodeo. Oliver Reinhart Jr., who is a member of the Gold Key Association, attended the Gold Key banquet.

At this time twenty-five boys of the State of Texas were notified that the State of Texas has passed on their applications for the American Farmer Degree. Oliver Reinhart Jr. received this honor, and he will receive his gold key in October at Kansas City. The American Farmer Degree is the highest degree that can be won in the Future Farmers of America. There were fifty boys who were applying for this degree in the State of Texas and only twenty-five received it. Those who attended the show and rodeo were: Albert Weyand, Charles Saathoff, and Oliver Reinhart Jr.

New Agriculture Teacher.

The D'Hanis Vocational Agriculture class has had for the past week Mr. Lester of A. & I. College as teacher. The new agriculture teacher, Mr. Keath, will arrive the latter part of the week.

Work Begun On Senior Play

The cast of the Senior play has been working on the play almost every night since a week ago last Thursday. Until Monday night only the first act was practiced. Tuesday night the cast practiced the second act.

The play, which is a comedy in three acts, will be presented sometime in the first part of April. The story concerns Christine Eliot, the owner of a refreshment stand, and her efforts to keep her stand from Mrs. Van Dyke, a wealthy domineering woman. The romantic interest in the play is furnished by Christine and Ted Webster, the nephew of Mrs. Van Dyke.

The committees to work on the Senior play have as yet done no work but they will begin soon. The committees are for properties, make-up, construction, lights and publicity.

Baseball Squad Cut

For the first time this season, the baseball squad was cut Monday to fourteen members. The purpose of doing this was to make work-outs shorter and also leave more time to perfect the fielding and batting of the squad.

Those remaining on the squad are:
1. Grell Pitcher; Infielder
2. Hartung Pitcher; Infielder
3. Holloway Pitcher; Infielder
4. Perez Catcher; Outfielder
5. Leinweber Infielder
6. Schuehle Infielder
7. Jennings Catcher; Outfielder
8. Dominguez Outfielder
9. Finger Outfielder
10. Embrey Outfielder
11. Moehring Infielder
12. Weyand Infielder
13. Hollmig Outfielder
14. Kollman Outfielder

Several rookies were kept on the team so as to get more experience

P.-T. A. MEETING

Continued from Page 1

the motion was made and carried that the local P.-T. A. pay the expenses of the incoming president to the P.-T. A. District Conference to be held in San Antonio in May.

The nominating committee submitted the following recommendations for officers for the year 1939-40, and these were elected to the respective offices by acclamation:

President—Mrs. Barnitz Carle.
First Vice-President—Mrs. Fabian Garrison.

Second Vice-President—Mrs. Horace Crow.

Third Vice-President—Mrs. James Amberson.

Treasurer—Mrs. W. T. Taylor.

Secretary—Mrs. Otis Laughinghouse.

The motion was made and carried that a May Fete be held in May for the purpose of raising money necessary to defray the payments on the piano. In accordance with this movement, Mrs. Highsmith appointed a planning committee for the purpose of completing plans for the May Fete.

Room count revealed that the fourth grade had a majority of mothers present, thus giving the fourth grade the award for the month.

and if they improve, may be given permanent berth on the team.

The traveling squad will consist of only twelve men.

H. E. CLASS TAKES FIELD TRIP

A field trip was taken to E. R. Leinweber's store by the first-year Homemaking girls, Monday, March 13. The purpose of the trip was to judge materials, as a preparation for selecting their school dresses.

In the discussion these girls considered the type of material, the design and color that was suitable for the patterns that had been chosen.

Some of the other things the girls discussed were that all of the primary colors in the same value are not effective in one design. They also learned the importance of a pleasing balance of warm and cool colors in color design.

The first year class wishes to extend thanks to E. R. Leinweber Co. for the courtesy shown them by letting them look through their different materials.

PRESIDENT OF SOUTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY SPEAKS TO SENIORS

Mr. J. W. Bergin, President of Southwestern University at Georgetown, Texas, spoke to a select group of Hondo High School Seniors last Tuesday, March 7. His object was to interest the students in attending Southwestern by giving examples of ex-graduates who have attained high position in the social and business world and who have excelled in leadership. He extended a cordial invitation to these students to visit the college university at anytime in the future.

MUSICAL RECITAL GIVEN BY MUSIC INSTRUCTOR.

A musical recital was given by Mrs. C. D. Sadler, presenting her 21 pupils, in the Hondo High School Auditorium, Friday, March 10, 1939. Red and white formed the color scheme set off by the royal blue curtain and gray cyclorama.

The stage was so arranged as to form an attractive picture. The piano was in the center of the stage with two white floor baskets containing red gladiolus on each side. Outside of the blue curtains were two more white floor baskets; these also containing red gladiolus.

PRACTICE ON RECITAL BEGUN

Practice began last Tuesday evening on the Musical Review to be presented by members of the Choral Club in May. Only the first act was rehearsed Tuesday in which the following participated: Nora Ann Bendele, Bonnie Jack Cameron, Evelyn Ruth Dawson, Mary Louise Haegelin, Judy Lacy, Jean Warden, "Dolly" Taylor, Novelle Lambert, Norma Jane Bless, Charles Finger, Leslie Earl Holloway, Roland Nester, and Henry Martin Finger.

JOINT OWL STAFF PLANS STEAK FRY

Miss Lucille Johnson, Hondo Owl sponsor, called a joint meeting of the former Owl Staff and present Owl Staff Tuesday, March 14, in the English room. The purpose of the meeting was to plan a steak fry for Tuesday evening, March 21, at the Roadside Park.

The following committee was appointed to carry out necessary plans for the affair: Frances Ruth Fly, Mary Ann Noonan and George Rucker.

:-: Castroville Cullings :-:

LOCAL, PERSONAL AND BUSINESS ITEMS FROM THIS BUSY BURG

ISABELL KARM, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News and advertising copy for this column for the week's issue should be submitted to Miss Karm or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Tuesday night of each week. Miss Karm is authorized to collect and receipt for Lay business for this paper.

CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, TUESDAY, MARCH 14, 1939

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Noonan last Sunday were Mrs. Harrell Williams and daughter, Wanda Sue, Mrs. J. J. Biediger and children, Kenneth and Betty Jo, Misses Gertrude and Mary Louise Noonan of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Farris of Castroville.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvan Halbardier and daughter, Barbara June, of George West spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Emil Halbardier.

Sha Williamson, Howard Haas, Misses Vivian Haller and Dolly Taylor of Hondo visited Robert Williamson at San Marcos, Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Lieber and daughter, Freddie, are visiting relatives in Hondo and D'Hanis this week.

Mesdames Nick Haby, Fred Carle and Philip Haby of Rio Medina were Hondo visitors Monday.

Dorsey Williamson, an interne of Santa Rosa hospital in San Antonio, visited his parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. D. Williamson, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Russell and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wolff and sons of San Antonio spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lieber and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Noonan visited Mrs. Isabelle Orynski and Mrs. Elizabeth Graham in San Antonio last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jagge from Castroville, Mr. and Mrs. Seb. Tschirhart, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Letcher, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Boyle of Banderita visited Messrs Frank A. Tschirhart and A. E. Karm, patients at the Legion Hospital in Kerrville, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bourquin and daughter, Betty Jean, of Cliff spent Sunday in the Paul E. Tondre home.

Harvey Tondre and Misses Gladys Tondre and Florence Tschirhart spent Saturday in San Antonio. Leon Groff, stationed at the Fort Sam Houston Post, accompanied them home to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Groff.

Anna Frances Lieber spent the week-end with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Russell, in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Poerner and daughters visited relatives in Somerset Sunday.

Mrs. Emil Halbardier returned home Sunday after several days' stay in San Antonio with her daughter, Mrs. Alfred Schott.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Tondre and children spent Friday evening visiting Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schneider at Rio Medina.

Lt. Clem Wurzbach of Barksdale Field, La., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Wurzbach, at Cliff.

Mrs. C. J. Rihn and daughters, La Verne, Mrs. Mervin Rihn and Misses Lillian and Marjorie Tschirhart were Hondo visitors Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bader of Dunlap visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe A. Bader Sunday evening.

Mrs. Bert Pope and daughter and Miss Olivia Jungman of San Antonio spent Sunday visiting in the Chas. Suehs and Emil Biry homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Trulson of San Antonio visited Mrs. Trulson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Saathoff, and son Sunday.

Mr. A. L. Grimsinger, Mrs. Harvey Masson and daughter, Mrs. Jenks Fulcher and baby, Mrs. O. H. Schweitzer and Mrs. Tony Ponds of San Antonio visited Mrs. Emil Groff Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Gabe Tschirhart and daughter, Ima Jean, and Mesdames Emil Groff and C. C. Mecher were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Nick Tondre at Atascosa Friday.

Mrs. Frank A. Tschirhart and Mrs. Annie Weiblen visited Mrs. Robert Halty at LaCoste Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank A. Tschirhart returned home from Legion Hospital in Kerrville Monday evening after a several days visit with Mr. Tschirhart, who recently underwent an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe F. Schott and Mr. Harry Hans were in Hondo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Filling and daughters of San Antonio visited Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schott Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Keller and children of La Pryor visited relatives here this week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Schott and sons were in San Antonio Sunday at Kelly Field where they witnessed Lt. Clem Wurzbach's take-off for his station at Barksdale Field, La.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hans and children, Mr. August Schott and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Schott, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brieden from here, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Marty, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Brieden and children, Mr. and Mrs. Al Piper, Mr. and Mrs. Troutman and Thomas Hans of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Keller and children of LaPryor enjoyed a barbecue picnic at Schott's Grove above Rio Medina Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hieser had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hieser and children, Mr. and Mrs. Hill and family of San Antonio, Miss Helen Fischer of Castroville and Miss Mary Kate Huesser of Hondo.

Mrs. Joe Huesser visited Mrs. Eugene Huesser in Hondo Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Mary FitzSimon, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard FitzSimon for several weeks, was accompanied to San Antonio Monday morning by Mrs. FitzSimon. Miss FitzSimon is ex-

pected to leave for her home in Hot Springs, Arkansas, within the next few days.

Albert E. Karm, a patient at Legion Hospital in Kerrville, underwent a tonsilectomy Monday morning, March the 13th.

ST. LOUIS HIGH SCHOOL NEWS.

Personality Parade of the Seniors

QUENTIN L. BENDELE acquired the nickname of "Ken Maynard" because Maynard is his idol and he is attempting to follow in his famous footsteps. He considers himself to be a "purty good" cowhand, but he doesn't brag. "Ken" can easily be identified for he is about five feet, eight inches in height, has gray eyes and a brown hair and is seldom seen without a ten gallon hat. Bendele is inconsistent in handling in his written work, but his Geometry teacher, praises his artistic designs in his notebook. "Ken" is inclined to be contrary, usually dresses in one way or another as a cowboy and simply delights in listening to songs sung by drugstore or actual bronc-busting cowhands. He is a native son of Rio Medina, the day of his birth being February the twenty-sixth. "Ken's" profile is reported to be the handsomest of the Senior boys by various feminine admirers. I am absolutely certain that he does not enjoy studying, but I will bet that he reads every cowboy magazine that he contacts. His sole ambition is to be a ranch owner and I presume it will be appropriately entitled "K. M. Bar Ranch".

HOWARD H. HABY, the funniest wise-cracking member of the Senior group, "Fats" as we affectionately call him just recuperated from an appendix operation and Monday he again started school after an absence of three weeks. He proudly exhibits his precious appendix to curious classmates and also to those not so interested. "Fats" is the tallest of the Seniors, being also an aggravating pest to his teachers. When asked to recite he stands erectly and says "How is that?" He resides in Dunlap and d sires to become an engineer when he graduates. "Fats" shares honors with another Senior boy in dancing. He says, "Yes, I like to dance." As I have observed he is about the best dressed boy in high school (not that the other boys do not dress clean and neat, but it's just the way he wears his clothes.) He isn't conceited or independent but has loads of friends who love to listen to his witty and entertaining remarks.

JEROME F. NOONAN made initial appearance into this so-called wonderful world January the first in 1921. His grandfather, Noonan, was a well-known Congressman, one of his uncles is the present District Attorney and another is a Commissioner. Noonan lives about six miles west of Castroville on Flint Hill. He contemplates the career of a rancher when he finishes his schooling. Noonan has a brilliant mind, but is not very studious. He indulges in all types of sports, was elected captain of the basketball team, and is an expert horseman. Jerome attends movies

frequently, doesn't dance in public, and is rather quarrelsome (someone stated).

Senior Day.

Thursday, March the 23rd, has been proclaimed Senior Day at St. Louis High School. The Seniors plan to visit the State Capitol, at Austin, and return home by way of a different route in order to see more of this beautiful state.

It has been definitely decided and agreed upon to have the Seniors take their pictures in a San Antonio studio Friday afternoon.

When the best photos are selected they will grace the wall of the Senior Hall of Fame or Beauty.

ZION'S LUTHERAN CHURCH.

Sunday, March 19, 1939.
9:00 A. M. Sunday school and Bible classes.

10:00 A. M. A brief English meditation.

After the English service a congregational meeting will be held. We kindly ask our members to attend, please.

Everybody is kindly invited to attend our German Lenten service next Wednesday night at 8:15 on March 22nd.

Our Castroville Lutheran Ladies Aid Society will meet on Wednesday, March 29th. Our kind ladies are requested to attend.

The Church is no institution of the world. It is the creation of God, and it lives for and unto God. We do not join the church as one joins a club. We become members of the holy fellowship of Christ's Saints who have accepted Christ's teaching as the truth for time and eternity and dedicate our lives to Him and Him alone. For this church Jesus prays.

You are kindly invited to attend.

The Church with a welcome.

A. H. FALKENBERG, Pastor.

MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER.

On Sunday, March the 5th, Mrs. Hugo Naegelin, a bride of last month, was honored with a miscellaneous shower in Pearsall at the home of her parents.

Refreshments consisting of sandwiches, cake, cookies, and punch were served. Hostesses were Mrs. Albert Groff, Mrs. Albert Schneider and Miss Adalia Groff.

IT HAPPENED AGAIN.

There was a very interesting meeting held Friday, March 10th, in the Fuos building, with fifteen members present, and the Luther League was happy to accept a new member, Junior Kunze, who proved to be a very good sport.

The League decided on having an entertainment soon in benefit of gift they will present to the new church, and also entering the tournament which will be the third anniversary of the Federation, So Leaguers who are interested, start swinging. The meeting closed with prayer by Rev. Falkenberg.

Did we hear someone say "esta" "U did", said hostesses Marion and Christina Otto, and did we eat Banana splits, cake and a drink on the menu.

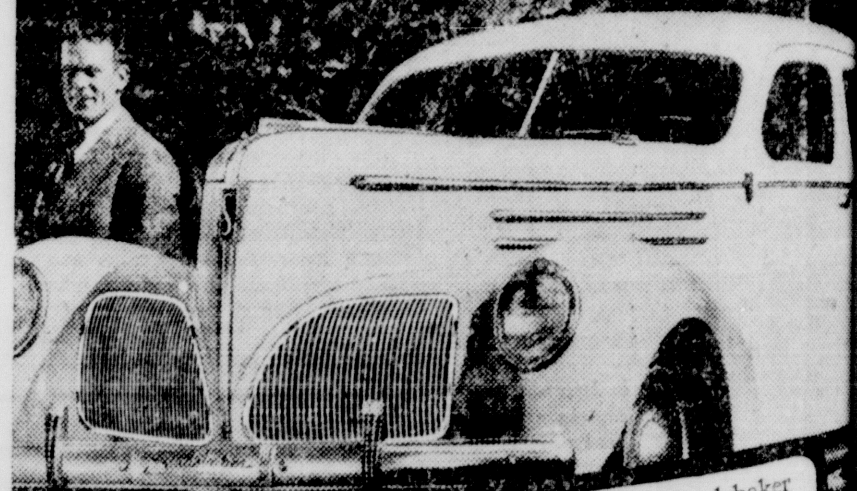
Junior got in step very quickly helping Paul with the dishes.

This was followed with ring game when Rev. Falkenberg gave his handkerchief but by misfortune it was turned in shreds.

We missed those not present. Meaning-U, quick recovery to a little fat boy, who is nursing C-Pox; and Happy Birthday, Secretary.

The Castroville Luther League requests your presence April 14. O we count on U?

Studebaker wins first place in gas saving!



HERE'S a car that's a duplicate of the stock Studebaker that beat the pick of America's sixes and eights under American Automobile Association supervision in this year's Gilmore-Yosemite Economy Sweepstakes—the nation's annual gas economy classic!

And talk about superior value. At no extra cost, this Studebaker's low price includes the riding ease of self-stabilizing planar suspension, the safety of automatic hill holder and non-slam door latches, the convenience of Studebaker's steering wheel gear shifter. Go for a drive in this Studebaker, the car thousands of America's smartest motorists are buying. Low down payment—easy C.I.T. terms.

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